

Tornadoes, Blizzard And Lightning Take 11 Lives In Weekend

By The Associated Press

Screaming tornadoes, a whirling blizzard and flashing lightning killed at least 11 persons in various parts of the nation over the weekend.

The known deaths from the weather indirectly attributed to the weather had mounted to 34.

Property damage from the tornadoes which lashed north central Arkansas, Oklahoma, Missouri and Illinois was high. Arkansas alone estimated its damage might reach \$100,000.

All the tornado dead are in Arkansas and Missouri. The twisters hammered six Arkansas communities yesterday, killed three persons and injured ten. Many escaped the fury by taking shelter in storm cellars. The communities hit were Clinton, Beedee, Velvet Ridge, Cross Roads, Providence and Bradford. Two were killed at Cross Roads, one at Providence.

Australian Vote Cheers Tories

British Labor Party May Be On Skids

London, Dec. 12 (AP)—Are the four lean years nearly over for Britain's out-of-office conservatives? Is British labor's Socialist Welfare State on the skids?

"Yes," say the Tories hopefully, as they study the election defeats in the last two weeks of labor governments in the Dominions of Australia and New Zealand.

But Prime Minister Attlee's embattled laborites, facing a general election of their own before next July, take comfort from their victory last week in a special parliamentary election at South Bradford. The Conservatives brought hard there, but labor won—keeping unbroken its record of never losing a by-election for a House of Commons seat previously won in the 1945 general election.

But Conservatives saw significance in the labor defeats on the other side of the world. Those votes, they insist, represent a rightward trend, not only in Australia and New Zealand but throughout the Commonwealth.

Laborites don't agree. Election results 10,000 miles away don't affect Britain, they argue.

The Conservatives, though, saw their "bit of a do" coming up soon. Lord Beaverbrook's Sunday Express said "The days of dullness and degradation are passing."

Australian Socialism "has been found out," trumpeted the Conservative party chairman, Lord Woolton.

"Great Britain will come to the same conclusion as soon as all the people have a chance to choose the way of life they want," he declared.

Fennville Farmer Killed When Truck Upsets His Tractor

Fennville, Mich., Dec. 12 (AP)—A 69-year-old Fennville area farmer was instantly killed at 3:50 p. m. Saturday when he pulled his farm tractor onto a blacktop road near here and was struck by a northbound truck.

Carl Brandt, 69, route 3, Fennville, was pinned beneath his overturned tractor and died instantly of a broken neck and crushed chest, according to Troopers John Pawlowski and Walter Bilanow of the South Haven State Police post.

Weather

Reported by U. S. Weather Bureau

UPPER MICHIGAN: Cold wave with temperatures falling to 5 to 10 degrees below zero in the interior of the west portion and near 5 degrees above zero elsewhere. Partly cloudy tonight and Tuesday with snow flurries over the Keweenaw Peninsula.

ESCANABA AND VICINITY: Cold wave with temperatures falling to 5 to 10 below zero inland and near 5 above zero near Lake Michigan. Partly cloudy and colder tonight, Tuesday partly cloudy and continued cold. High 15°, low 8°.

Past 24 Hours High Low ESCANABA 50° 16°

Low Past 24 Hours
Alpena ... 36 Lansing ... 40
Battle Creek ... 37 Los Angeles ... 30
Bismarck ... -3 Marquette ... 19
Brownsville ... 73 Memphis ... 53
Buffalo ... 48 Miami ... 73
Cadillac ... 31 Milwaukee ... 21
Chicago ... 26 Minneapolis ... 6
Cincinnati ... 51 New Orleans ... 23
Cleveland ... 52 New York ... 42
Dallas ... 48 Phoenix ... 23
Denver ... -1 Pittsburgh ... 23
Detroit ... 46 St. Louis ... 29
Duluth ... 8 San Francisco 32

Consul Ward And Staff Free Of Red Jailers

Mukden Jail Menu Bread And Water

By TOM LAMBERT

Aboard Lakeland Victory, Off Tientsin, Dec. 12. (AP)—Angus Ward and his party of 19 are free, at last, from Red China. . . and feeling "just how you'll feel after St. Peter lets you in."

It was the first time in 13 months Ward had been able to move without an armed escort. And 28 days of that time he was in a Chinese Communist jail, in solitary confinement, in Mukden. On 24 of those days he was kept in unheated, or underheated quarters in freezing temperatures.

He lost 25 pounds. His jail menu was six slices of bread daily. . . and hot water.

"That's not a very strengthening or fattening diet," he quipped. For all members of the party, including Mrs. Ward, several women and some children, it was the first time they hadn't been under Red surveillance since Nov. 20, 1948. On that date the Reds closed the consulate and clamped such secrecy on their movements and fate that even the U. S. state department knew virtually nothing about them.

Charges Phoney Even their final departure, under Red deportation orders on phoney charges, was delayed by red tape.

For some time today, only Ward was permitted to board this ship. Before they would permit the other 19 to come up the gangway, the Communists demanded the consul general sign a statement that they boarded safely and without falling temperatures.

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Gift Shop Blast Fatal To Five At Birmingham, Mich.

Birmingham, Mich., Dec. 12 (AP)—Five persons were killed last night in a violent blast that shattered an antique shop while a fire inspector was searching for the source of escaping gas.

Four other persons were injured. One of them was blown 200 feet. Only the chimney of the three-story house remained standing today.

The dead were: Mrs. Edith Jones, 76, co-owner of the Mother and Son antique shop, 720 North Woodward Ave.

Wilson Jones, 47, her partially paralyzed son.

Lee Carroll, 44, Birmingham fire inspector.

Mrs. Ruth Bramson, of Bloomfield Hills, a guest.

Arthur B. Wilson, 56, of Dearborn, also a guest.

Wilson's body was not found until this morning. The others were recovered while flames were still raging through the wreckage.

Wilson's wife, Florence, was in serious condition at St. Joseph Mercy hospital in Pontiac. She was found in a ravine 200 feet from the house.

Less seriously hurt were Patrolman Merlin Holmquist, 36, and La Mar Gilchrist, 29, of Birmingham, and one other resident of the town, William Morrison.

The blast shook this quiet and fashionable suburb north of Detroit at 9 p. m. Flames leaped 100 feet in the air. Windows were broken over an area of three square miles.

State police said Mrs. Bramson's car was parked outside the wrecked store. She had taken her husband, Roy, to the railroad station early in the evening and stopped at the shop on the way home.

Corpses Of Bulgarian Premier On Display In Square At Sofia

Sofia, Bulgaria, Dec. 12 (AP)—Bulgarian Communists today filed in homage before the embalmed body of their late premier, Georgi Dimitrov, which was placed on view yesterday in Sofia's ninth of September square.

The body, like that of Nicolai Lenin in Moscow's Red Square, was embalmed by a secret Soviet process which the Russians said would preserve it indefinitely.

Dimitrov's body, encased in a glass coffin, lies atop a black marble podium, in a high-ceilinged room, 12 feet square. The body is dressed in black. A flesh-colored light glows above it.

Dimitrov, who fathered Bulgaria's postwar Communist government, died in Moscow of diabetes last July. He was 67.

The Bulgarian press said the secret embalming process preserves the body's freshness, color and features at ordinary temperatures.

The process used on Lenin, also a Soviet state secret, is said to include maintaining a constant degree of sterilized moisture working through the tissues at a pressure kept constant by an electrical pumping device connected inside the body, and by maintaining a constant temperature of about 60 degrees Fahrenheit inside the glass canopy over the body.

FARM ANIMALS BURN Portland, Dec. 12 (AP)—Fifty-one farm animals and a large quantity of equipment and harvested grain were burned in a fire which swept the farm buildings of Mark Brokaw, five miles east of Portland, Sunday morning. Loss is estimated at \$50,000.

Britain, Canada And U. S. A. Forge Atomic Partnership

Williams Branded Dangerous Man In Blaney Park Talk

Blaney Park, Mich., Dec. 12. (AP)—The state Republican chairman says Gov. G. Mennen Williams is a dangerous man.

Owen J. Cleary, head of the state GOP central committee, told a weekend meeting of Republicans here the governor is "the most dangerous man in the state."

The governor, Cleary asserted, should be called dangerous because of "the responsibility he owes" to August Scholle, head of the CIO political action committee, and John Gibson, assistant secretary of labor.

Cleary declared Gov. Williams, Scholle and Gibson make up a tri-umvirate that formed a compact before the last election. He claimed Gov. Williams makes decisions only after conferring with Scholle.

The "Truman-Williams Deal in Michigan," Cleary asserted, is rushing the state towards Socialism.

"Unless we elect a Republican president in 1952," Cleary said, "nothing can save this country, and unless we win in 1950, we cannot win in 1952."

Steering Group Named Cleary spoke at a party meeting to lay plans for the 1950 election campaign. It was an organizational meeting of GOP leaders from 24 counties in the 11th and 12th congressional districts.

Arthur Bruno, Hancock, chairman of the Northern Michigan Republican association, presided.

An eight-member steering committee was formed and given authority of the 48-member executive board. The new board includes:

Victor A. Knox, Sault Ste. Marie, speaker of the house of representatives; J. Joseph Herbert, Manistique, University of Michigan regent; Lewis Berry, Cheboygan; John Belma, Petoskey; William Cloon, Ironwood; Mrs. Lenore R. Pinkerton, Ontonagon; Mrs. D. K. McEachern, St. Ignace, and Mrs. Barton, Kalkaska.

Famed Capital Cartoonist Dies

Heart Ailment Fatal To Berryman, 80

Washington, Dec. 12 (AP)—Clifford K. Berryman, whose gently effective cartoons adorned Washington front pages for 53 years, died peacefully yesterday at the age of 80.

The Evening Star cartoonist—dean of his profession in America, Pulitzer prize winner and friend of presidents since this century began—also won a niche in American history as originator of the "teddy bear."

Survivors, all at the bedside when he died, are his widow and two children, James and Florence. James is also a cartoonist on the Star and Florence writes an artists' column for the same paper.

Berryman was a stocky, white-haired man who liked Windsor ties and had a ready smile that reflected the good humored nature of his cartoons. He was a sort of Washington landmark—known better than many of the men he used as subjects.

It was during President Roosevelt's third term, for the Star of Aug. 28, 1943, that Berryman drew the cartoon which won him the Pulitzer prize for the best cartooning of the year.

Entitled "but where is a lifeboat captioned 'U. S. S. manpower mobilization.' The figures were Congress; the mapoway commissioner, Paul V. McNutt; the draft director, Maj. Gen. Lewis B. Hershey; three labor leaders, John L. Lewis, Philip Murray and William Green, and President Roosevelt as skipper.

Kalamazoo Iceboaters Plunged Into Water; Four Rescuers Wet

Kalamazoo, Mich., Dec. 12 (AP)—Two young men who tried to go iceboating in yesterday's spring-like weather plunged through the rotten ice of Lake Austin and clung to their craft for an hour and a half until help came.

Four of the rescuers also went through the ice while getting Robert Stinson, 23, of Austin Lake, and Philip Cloney, 26, of Kalamazoo out of the chilly water.

Stinson and Cloney and Deputy Sheriff Curtis Taylor were hospitalized after being pulled from the water. Taylor later was released. Three members of the Portage fire department suffered no ill effects from their plunge.



POSTER GIRL FOR MARCH OF DIMES — Wanda Wiley, age 8, of Austin, Tex., has been chosen polio poster girl for the 1950 March of Dimes campaign. Wanda is one of six children of Mr. and Mrs. Earl N. Wiley of Austin, and the second member of the family to suffer polio.

Little Man With Gun Kills His Family Of 5 At Ft. Lauderdale, Fla.

Fort Lauderdale, Fla., Dec. 12 (AP)—A man described by neighbors as "a mild little guy who liked to play the guitar" killed his wife, his three small children and himself with six bullets from a German Luger pistol yesterday.

Police Chief Roland Kelly said Carl Amarella, 34-year-old interior decorator and upholsterer, killed his wife, Millie, 33; their children, Sandra, 6; Larry, 4 and Janet, one year old, while they slept and then took his own life.

Amarella put two bullets into little Janet's head. Each of the others was shot only once, according to Ray May, chief investigator of the Broward county sheriff's office.

He left a note written on three different sales slips, telling his at-

Rock Fall Kills Four On Picnic

Slab Crushes Party At Mojave Desert

Victorville, Calif., Dec. 12 (AP)—Without warning, a 70-ton granite slab split from a cliff at Dead Man's Point and crashed onto a holiday picnic, crushing to death four persons and critically injuring two others.

Horrified children of the victims watched helplessly as the huge rock fragment brought a swift, tragic climax to the outing of 18 friends on the edge of the Mojave Desert yesterday. The popular picnic site, overlooking the desert, is sheltered by the rocky promontory.

Rescuers staid the jutting rock broke free because a six-hour campfire heated it following the intense cold of the early morning.

Killed were Robert Asper, 35, and Mrs. Jessie Isom, 45, of Upland, Calif.; Harold Bovee, 40, Ventura, Calif.; and Mrs. Frances Morris, 38, Pomona, Calif.

Critically injured were Mrs. Frances Long, 35, Upland, and Clifford Morris, 38, husband of Mrs. Morris. Rescuers tunneled for two hours to reach Mrs. Long who was resting on a cot when the ledge broke off. She and Morris suffered internal injuries and face and head cuts.

Three hours after the slab fell, crews aided by the jacks and heavy railroad ties were able to move the 16 by 12-foot granite chunk far enough to dig in after the victims. Sheriff's Capt. I. L. Fleen supervised the operations. Dr. William Martin stood by.

FIRE DESTROYS PLANT Grand Rapids, Dec. 12 (AP)—Fire of undetermined origin destroyed the plant and contents of the Frost-Pack Distributing Co. in Wyoming Park Sunday night. Loss was estimated at approximately \$50,000 by President Edward E. Hoekema, who collapsed while aiding firemen.

Soviets Liberate 2 Americans Held In Korea 81 Days

By WILLIAM R. MOORE

Seoul, Dec. 12 (AP)—Two emaciated American officials were back from North Korea today after 81 days confinement by Communists.

They were returned yesterday. The Soviet regime indicated it had given up on its apparent attempt to get some form of United States recognition in exchange for the economic cooperation administration aides, who were delivered to them by a mutinous ship's crew.

Albert E. Willis, 40, of Brooklyn, N. Y., and Albert T. Mescher, 23, of Kinderhook, N. Y., shocked Willis' blonde, little wife with their appearance.

Mrs. Beatrice Willis estimated her husband lost almost a pound a day and said it would take a lot of home cooking to undo the damage.

Looked Like Skeleton "My heart sank when I saw him," she told me today. "He looked like a human skeleton. Why his clothes almost fell off of him. He weighed 190 pounds when he left Pusan. He must have lost 60 pounds."

Metscher said the two men were reasonably fit — especially compared with the week before when the Communists started feeding them well in preparation for their return. They were not physically mistreated, he said.

The surrounding mountains bristled with earthen emplacements of rival guards, Metscher said, but not a shot was heard during the border negotiations for the pair's release. He did hear faint shouts from one North Korean calling on members of the rescue mission to forsake the South Korean republic and join the northern regime.

torney, G. H. Martin, how to dispose of everything and where to find his money and papers.

The note began: "I am sorry it ended this way," and concluded: "I guess that is all." It asked that as little publicity as possible be given the tragedy.

Mrs. Amarella had taken the children to see Santa Claus parachute to earth Saturday, then went home to finish the family ironing. Fourteen clean, neatly pressed dresses hung in the children's closet. The mother's own clothes were in perfect order in her own closet.

Hidden away in closets were unopened Christmas packages, intended for the children. Christmas cards, some addressed to relatives, were lying on a table.

Most of the furniture in their neat, attractive home was made by Amarella himself, from native Florida woods.

Amarella, who came here from West Orange, N. J., last winter for his health, had been having family and financial difficulties and feared he was losing his mind, Kelly said.

Robert Emil Bednasek, 24, was to be arraigned at 2 p. m. (CST) today on the charge. The coed was Margaret Ann (Gee-Gee) Jackson, 20, of Burlington, Iowa.

However Mrs. Olga Bednasek said at Cedar Rapids her son and Miss Jackson planned to be married "in about four years," after Bednasek completed graduate work in psychology.

Mrs. Bednasek said her husky 175-pound son told her when she asked him yesterday if he killed the girl:

"I must have. I was the only one in the room. I don't know how it happened because my mind is a blank."

The couple returned to the rooming house after a fraternity dance for a nightclub After a few drinks of whisky they went across the hall to another room to dance to a record player.

Bednasek said he did not remember anything after that until he found Miss Jackson on the floor, not breathing.

He ran to a police station around the corner and shouted there was a girl in the rooming house "who isn't breathing and I need help."

Returning to the rooming house, police said Bednasek hurled a whiskey bottle out a window.

Rose City Druggist Dies In Headon Crash

Rose City, Mich., Dec. 12 (AP)—Clyde B. Karcher, 60, prominent Rose City (Ogemaw county) druggist and civic leader, was killed Sunday in a head-on auto crash.

Karcher, driving alone, was passing a truck loaded with Christmas trees when the cars collided on M33 a mile south of Rose City.

Sidney Lawrence, 54, of Flint and his son David, 20, were the only occupants of the other car. The father suffered a fractured jaw and face and body lacerations. David's left ankle was fractured and he was cut about the head.

Driving Conditions Bad Over Week End; Only 6 Auto Deaths

(By The Associated Press) The weatherman treated Michigan to some of the winter's worst driving conditions this weekend, but only six highways deaths have been reported.

Two fatal accidents occurred in the Detroit area, one near Lapeer, and others near Zeeland and Fennville.

AGED WOMAN LOST St. Clair, (AP)—Authorities have given up their search for an 83-year-old woman missing from her home here since Dec. 5. The heavy woods between St. Clair and Bay City were combed thoroughly in a hunt for Mrs. Mary Harsen.

Three Powers Plan To Pool Bomb Assets

Congress Must Put OK On Proposal

By JOHN M. HIGHTOWER

Washington, Dec. 12 (AP)—The United States, Britain and Canada have virtually completed the broad outlines for a new partnership in the development of atomic energy and atomic bombs. The next move will be for the state department to take up the proposals with congressional leaders.

The proposed plan—which will apparently come to nothing unless Congress is prepared in some way to authorize it—reportedly would provide for continued concentration of atomic weapon manufacture in this country. It is said to contemplate that British and Canadian scientists would participate in the work.

America Keeps Lead Discussion of the three powers' roles moved to the foreground, at least temporarily, with the lull in the congressional atomic investigation. That inquiry deals with how the Russians were able to get atomic materials from the U. S. during the war, Congressional probes said over the weekend they have asked for wartime records of the chemical warfare service as a possible clue.

Under the projected American-British-Canadian partnership in the future, Britain would abandon its plans for making A-bombs, as in fact it appears to have done already. This would end the threat of a future British claim to a larger share of the Belgian Congo uranium—the greater part of which now comes to the United States.

Responsible authorities say there would be several advantages to this arrangement. First, it would assure the western world a maximum of output of atomic bombs of the kind the United States is able to make in the shortest possible time. Second, it would prevent dispersion of effort as between this country and Britain. Third, it would mean the continued development of atomic plants, including weapons factories, in places a mote from any possible European war area.

Share In Secret Britain and Canada, for their part, would continue fully the kind of experimental work in basic atomic research which they have been doing. This would have far greater access to so-called atomic secrets than the United States has permitted them in recent years. And apparently they would in emergency have demand rights against the atomic weapon stockpile in this country.

However, the arrangement would be based on the pooling of military strength under the North Atlantic Treaty. According to agreements now in existence, in any war involving the United States and England, the task of delivering the atomic bomb would

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News Highlights

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EDUCATION—On-the-job training for farming will begin soon at Cooks school. Page 9.

WINTER SPORTS—Snow awaited by Manistique Ski club. Page 9.

GLADSTONE C-C—Directors will discuss home decorating contest at meeting Tuesday. Page 9.

CHOIR MUSIC—Concert at First Presbyterian church enjoyed by large audience. Page 8.

RETIRES—Jerry Jerow ends service as chief of Escanaba fire department. Page 8.

NAVIGATION—Storm delays Str. Crawford at Escanaba ore dock. Page 2.

DEBATES—Escanaba high school wins three out of four events. Page 2.

HOCKEY—Marquette and Milwaukee will clash at Escanaba rink Saturday night. Page 10.

BASKETBALL—Manistique defeats St. Joseph's 48-43, in hectic overtime game. Page 10.

EHS Debaters Win 3 Rounds

13 U. P. Schools Entered Tourney

Escanaba high school debaters won three of four debate rounds in the second U. P. practice tournament held here Saturday.

Thirteen Upper Michigan high schools sent squads to compete, and a total of 132 participated in debates. Of the 13 schools, only two, Iron Mountain and Ironwood, won all four debates. Two other schools, Bessemer and Sault Ste. Marie, won three of four.

The EHS negative team, Jane Helderman and Richard Myrsten, won over Ishpeming and was the only team to win a negative decision in the seven debates of the first round. The negatives lost to Iron Mountain.

Mary Sue Fleming and Dora Rose, debating the variety affirmative for EHS, won over Ishpeming and Crystal Falls. Decisions in the debates went predominantly to affirmative teams. In varsity work 18 of 26 affirmative squads won decisions, and 11 of 14 reserve teams won affirmative decisions. Students are debating whether the U. S. president should be elected by direct vote.

Reserve debaters for EHS won five of eight debates with the affirmative. Mary Shepeck and Charles Wickman won over Kinesford; Mary Shepeck and Nancy Duchaine won over Kinesford; and Beverly Feldstein and Lynn Bergman scored over Baraga. The reserve negatives won two, one over Baraga with Martha Moran and Pat Heminger debating, and the other over Iron Mountain, with Robert Myrsten and Pat Heminger presenting the argument.

Reserve negatives lost two, one to Baraga and the other to Marquette. Denis Harbath, Pat Heminger and Ted Rouman presented the negative arguments. Reserve affirmatives Mary Shepeck and Charles Wickman lost to Kinesford.

Seven faculty members of NMCE in Marquette judged varsity debaters. Reserve rounds were judged by Mrs. E. L. Holdeman, Atty. Nicholas Chapek, William Kiehl, Rev. James Bell, Mrs. Randolph Lukens and Atty. William Miller, all of Escanaba.

Final debates will be held on an elimination basis at NMCE in Marquette Jan. 13-14.

School Board To Meet On Tuesday

Escanaba board of education will meet in regular session at 7:30 p. m. Tuesday in the office of the superintendent, Junior High school, with Chairman Charles G. Lewis presiding.

Business scheduled to come before the board includes approval of a contract with Perkins and Will, Chicago architects, for a preliminary study on plans for a new senior high school; and receipt of a check for \$400 from the Kiwanis club for the school hot lunch program.

"Rented the first day" said Smith

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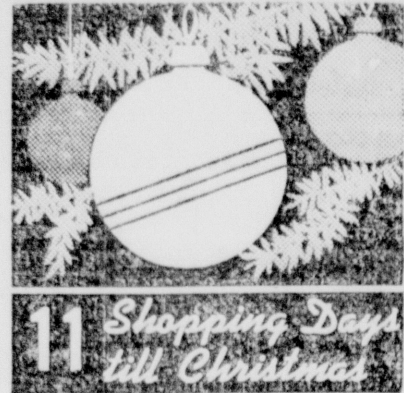
Every effort is made to make this listing correct. We regret that last minute changes in programs may cause inaccuracies.

MONDAY EVENING, DEC. 12

6:00—Evening News
6:15—Number Please
6:30—Spotlight on Sports
6:45—Music by Candlelight
7:00—Fulton Lewis, Jr.
7:15—Organ Melodies
7:25—Classified Column
7:30—Gabriel Heatter
7:45—Evening Serenade
8:00—Straight Arrow
8:30—The Affairs of Peter Salem
8:45—Bill Henry and the News
9:00—Murder by Experts
9:30—Crime Fighters
9:45—Commentary
10:15—Mutual Newsreel
10:30—Wheaton College Choir
11:00—All the News
11:15—Dance Orchestra
11:30—Sign Off

TUESDAY, DEC. 13

7:00—Sign On and Weather
7:15—Carroll's Coffee Club
7:30—News
7:45—In the Sports World
8:00—Carroll's Coffee Club
8:15—Morning Devotions
8:30—News
8:45—March Time
9:15—Walter Mason
9:30—Tennessee Tamboree
9:55—Billboard
10:00—John Bosman
1:15—Crosby Corner
10:30—Hits for Misses
11:00—Behind the Story
11:15—Swing and Sway Time
11:30—Bob Poole Show
12:00—Tunes at Noon
12:15—News
12:30—Town and Country
1:00—Cedric Foster
1:15—Harvey Harding Sings
1:30—Today's Music
2:00—Ladies Fair
2:30—Queen for a Day
3:00—Bob Poole Show
4:00—Michigan Highlights
4:30—Matinee Melodies
4:45—Santa Claus
5:15—Birthdays Club
5:30—Straight Arrow
5:45—Peninsula Roundup
6:00—News
6:15—Reflections
6:30—Spotlight on Sports
6:45—Music by Candlelight
7:00—Fulton Lewis, Jr.
7:15—Time for a Poem
7:25—Classified Column
7:30—Gabriel Heatter
7:45—Evening Serenade
8:00—Count of Monte Cristo
8:30—Official Detective
8:45—Bill Henry and the News
9:00—John Steele, Adventurer
9:30—Mysterious Traveler
9:45—Commentary
10:15—Mutual Newsreel
10:30—St. Peter's Choir
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Briefly Told

Walter Mason Award—Mrs. Ralph Hamilton of 1706 Fifth avenue south, has received the Walter Mason award for December 19 on the "Tell Your Neighbor" program. The broadcast will be heard over WDRC, Escanaba.

Encampment Meeting—Bay de Noc Encampment No. 174, IOOF will hold a regular meeting on Wednesday evening, Dec. 14 at the Odd Fellows hall, North 10th St., beginning at 8 o'clock. All members are asked to be present as business of importance will be transacted.

Rifle Club—The Escanaba Rifle and Pistol club will hold a practice session at the indoor range in the dartball center on Ludington street beginning at 7 this evening. All gun fans are invited.

Jayeers Meet Tuesday—The Escanaba Junior Chamber of Commerce will hold its regular monthly meeting tomorrow night at the House of Ludington. A 7:30 o'clock dinner will be served in the Marine room. A special program has been arranged. All members are expected to attend.

Townsend Club—Escanaba Club No. 1 will hold a regular meeting Tuesday evening at 8 at the City Hall.

Hot Lunch Meet—The Flat Rock hot lunch program committee will meet at 8 p. m., Tuesday in the town hall.

Apply For License—Applications for marriage licenses have been made at the office of the county clerk by Richard Kirk Shogran of Beloit, Wis., and Agnes Jane Lind of Rapid River; Lawrence Peter Christensen and Marie Monasso of Escanaba; Bartholomae Tyrrell of Waukegan and Helen Louise Bink of Escanaba.

Three Powers Get Together In New Atom Bomb Pact

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fall on the United States.

The prospective arrangements were worked out here in a series of "exploratory talks" which began in September and were recently put through an advanced phase. The principal British conferees, Sir John Cockcroft, his country's outstanding atomic scientist, and Sir Roger Makins, British diplomat, returned to London more than a week ago. It was learned that further talks will be held primarily on the point of how to carry through the proposed new partnership system.

Truman Can't Approve
Some administration officials believe, and some British negotiators believe also, that all that was needed was an agreement by President Truman. However, it is reported that American and British officials alike believe the president should seek the fullest authority from Congress for the actions he may take regardless of what legal powers he may be assumed to have. Congress members have made plain they will insist on a full report.

Mr. Truman has promised Congressional committees that in the three-power talks no agreements would be made and the talks would be only exploratory.

As a matter of policy all the negotiators believe the three western powers which joined in developing the first atomic bomb should find a basis for restoring their partnership. They want a policy which would prevent any wider split among them and would make use of the best brains and resources they have in the atomic arms race now going full blast with Russia.

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Lamprey Will Be Discussed

Wildlife Experts To Meet At Madison

Federal fish officials as well as those of Michigan and other north central states will probe further into Great Lakes sea lamprey and lake trout problems, pool available information, and attempt to come up with a plan of attack when they meet at Madison, Wisconsin, in the 11th annual Midwest Wildlife Conference, December 15-17.

The 1948 conference, held at Ann Arbor with the Michigan conservation department and the University of Michigan as hosts, attracted some 300 fish and game workers representing Illinois, Indiana, Ohio, Wisconsin, Minnesota, Iowa and Missouri. Ontario is expected to send delegates to this year's session.

The federal agency, the U. S. Fish and Wildlife Service, recently was voted funds by Congress to study methods of combating the lamprey parasite. The blood-sucking lamprey is blamed for reducing the lake trout population of Lakes Huron and Michigan to practically nothing. Federal and state experts will plan experiments to test various ideas suggested by studies to date.

Lake Trout Planting
In addition to tackling the lamprey issue, Fred A. Westerman, Michigan conservation department fish chief, says, some discussion is expected on the worth of a lake trout planting program as an attempt to replenish depleted Great Lakes stock. "With fewer trout being taken each month because of the lamprey, there is some question as to whether dumping hatchery trout into the same waters is even a partial answer to the problem," Westerman asserts.

Other Michigan fishery officials slated to participate in conference discussions are A. S. Hazzard, head of the department's institute for fisheries research; E. L. Cooper and Arthur Adams, research biologists; and V. C. Applegate, biologist in charge of Michigan's lamprey investigation.

Trapping lampreys in weirs started in Michigan in 1944, primarily as a means of getting basic information on the life cycle and habits of the parasites. Weirs are located at the mouths of the Ocqueoc river, Carp creek

and Carp lake outlet—tributaries of Lakes Huron and Michigan. The building of a large number of weirs as a means of large scale lamprey removal is not considered practical.

In the three-day conference, game officials from midwestern states will study a number of wildlife problems. Michigan game division personnel will be prepared to cover such topics as habitat development in Michigan, pheasant survey techniques, federal aid in wildlife restoration, waterfowl population trends and deer herd management.

Those who will attend are J. H. Stephenson, assistant chief of game division and Fred Dale, head of the advisory and technical staff. Other staff members included in the Michigan delegation are L. H. Bartlett, G. A. Ammann, L. S. Davenport, R. A. MacMullan, H. J. Miller, B. C. Jenkins, W. C. Ryder, D. F. Switzberg, C. T. Black and Orland Haugen.

Roddiss Sawmill Opens At Ironwood

Ironwood, Mich.—Full production with two shifts resumed Monday at the new Roddiss Lumber and Veneer Co. sawmill. A former sawmill was destroyed by fire April 29 of this year.

The new mill is all electric with several features of safety designing. All machines are operated with separate motors eliminating any series of belt and pulley drives. Where belts are used they are close connections of the "v" belt type. Most motors are coupled to machinery with a direct drive.

The only change in the new plant from the previous mill is that the mill now used is left-hand ed. All transfer pickups are air controlled and the mill has an air carriage. All pickup skids to the transfers and machines are operated by air as well.

College Students Plan Christmas Luncheon Here

The annual Christmas luncheon for students of Cloverland Commercial college in Escanaba will be held at the Sherman Hotel at noon Thursday, Dec. 15, E. J. Farrell, proprietor, has announced. Approximately 112 students will attend.

I cannot see how the Kremlin can even hold what she now has, unless Western Europe is brought into her orbit. She cannot succeed even in consolidating her present position.—ECA Administrator Paul Hoffman.

Effective Tuesday, Dec. 13, 1949

The following schedules, from 16th Ave. north, will be cancelled:

7:20 a. m.	12:40 p. m.
7:55 a. m.	3:20 p. m.
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Str. Crawford At Escanaba Dock

Strong southerly winds of gale proportions today held the Str. W. D. Crawford at the C&NW ore docks in Escanaba, delaying departure of the last cargo of iron ore from the Upper Lakes this season.

The Crawford arrived at Escanaba yesterday and finished loading at 2:30 a. m. today. When the winds moderate she will clear for Detroit with her cargo of 9,000 tons of ore.

There is the possibility that one additional boat, an oil tanker, will come to Little Bay de Noc this fall, according to the local Coast Guard lighthouse officers. The Coast Guard is awaiting definite word on the tanker today from the Cleveland headquarters office. The tanker would unload

at the Theisen-Clemens company oil storage station at Kipling—if she comes through.

The Coast Guard is preparing to close Minneapolis Shoal, St. Martin, Escanaba, Squaw Point, and other lighthouse stations on upper Green bay after the last boat departs.

Minneapolis Shoal lighthouse, located in the middle of Green bay about 12 miles south of Escanaba, is usually the last to go out of commission. Anton Jensen of Escanaba is officer in charge of the light and a crew of four.

Minneapolis Shoal and some of the other lighthouses have small-power automatic lights that are left on during the winter months as an aid to commercial fishermen in their late-winter and early-spring operations.

The colleges are being made scapegoats for women who are maladjusted. Any intelligent person who has a good liberal arts education who can't adjust has something wrong with her.—Dr. Millicent C. McIntosh, dean of Bernard College for women.

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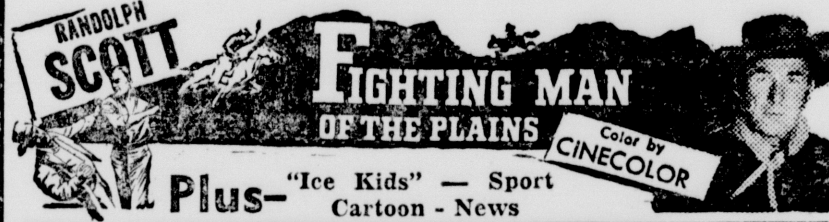
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Escanaba Fire Chief Retires

Jerry Jerow To Take Pension January 1

Fire Chief Jerry Jerow, 517 S. 12th street, will retire on pension on January 1, it has been announced. Jerow's retirement date actually is January 21 but he will be off duty beginning January 1 as he has three weeks vacation time coming before starting his retirement on pension.

Jerow, who is 75 years old, has been chief of the fire department for the past three years, succeeding the late Arvid Johnson. He has been in the fire department for nearly 30 years, since April, 1920, and served as assistant chief for 12 years before being appointed chief of the department.

The fire chief has been a resident of Delta county most of his life. He was born in Fond du Lac, Wisconsin July 25, 1875. He operated a hotel at Nahma for a couple of years and was employed as a camp cook in a number of lumber camps prior to that time. He came to Escanaba from Nahma in 1914 and the following year started the first taxicab service in this city, a business that he operated for four years.

He was married to Anna Vincent in Rhinelander, Wisconsin. Mr. and Mrs. Jerow have eight children.

Jack Kornecke recently was appointed head of the police and fire departments under the combined title of director of safety.

Consul Ward And Staff Set Free By Chinese Reds

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out molestation.

Ward balked: He said he would not sign until all members of his party were brought onto the ship. But they were held on the tug on which they had been brought from Tientsin.

Finally, Ward signed and all 19 came aboard.

Capt. Paul Sexton of the Lakeland also was forced to sign a statement for the Reds. In it he "assumed full responsibility" for the entire group and their belongings.

Of his immediate plans, Ward told newsmen:

He will go to Kobe, Japan, on the Lakeland. (In Tokyo today, the Far East Lines' agent, C. W. Evans, said the ship tentatively is due to leave Taku Bar tomorrow. It is due at Kobe Friday. En route it will stop at Pusan, South Korea, to unload cargo and disembark three Korean passengers. It is due at Pusan Wednesday, with a layover of eight or nine hours. It omitted a scheduled Pusan stop en route to Taku Bar to pick up the Ward party.)

Christmas In Tokyo
(Presumably, the Ward group will spend Christmas in Tokyo. He is expected to confer there with General MacArthur.)

On Jan. 3, Ward will board the President Wilson for San Francisco. He'll continue to Washington to report to the state department.

Then, . . . he and Mrs. Ward will begin a vacation at the home of his brother, Telford R. Ward, at Allegan, Mich.

Ward is tall, gaunt, balding and hoarse. He was garbed in typical Chinese clothing: breeches, felt leggings, canvas coat with sheepskin collar and a fur hat. He wore steel rim spectacles.

He smoked a stubby black pipe while chatting with newsmen in Capt. Sexton's bedroom. Unable to speak Chinese and tired of the haggling, through an interpreter, over release of his party, he turned that duty over to Philip Manhard of Los Angeles, U. S. vice consul at Tientsin who came to the Lakeland with him.

Ward declared flatly that his indictment and conviction—basis for Red expulsion of his group—was a travesty. He was charged with beating a Chinese employee. Four aides were convicted of similar charge.

A Red radio broadcast said all five confessed.

Ward didn't even know on what charge he was jailed until "a poor English translation" of an indictment was read in court.

Pastor Reinstated By School Board At Sunfield, Mich.

Sunfield, Mich., Dec. 12. (P)—The action firing the Rev. Albert W. Kauffman as superintendent of schools was reversed over the weekend.

As a special meeting Saturday, the school board president, Philip Sipperley, changed his vote. The count was 3-2 to retain the Congregational minister who came under fire because he wrote a letter to a magazine about Russia. During the controversy, the Rev. Mr. Kauffman was suspended, reinstated, dismissed and then reinstated again.

Sipperley said some critics had deduced from the minister's letter that he was a radical.

"Unless somebody can get on the stand and prove this is true, I will have to vote as I did today," the board president said.

The disputed letter was published in the magazine "Soviet Russia Today." It criticized patriotic organizations and "Legionnaires" as obstacles to peace.

Kauffman told the board Saturday:

"When the time comes, I will have an ample explanation for the letter."



RETIRE JAN 1—Fire Chief Jerry Jerow will retire January 1 on pension, it has been announced. He is 74 years old and has been in the fire department nearly 30 years. He has been fire chief since October 1, 1946.

Pastor Speaks To Kiwanians

Keith Morey Talks On "Appreciation"

Keith Morey, new pastor of the Seventh Day Adventists church, delivered an inspiring talk on "Appreciation" at the meeting of the Kiwanis club at the House of Ludington Monday noon.

Mr. Morey, a graduate of Emmanuel Missionary college of Berrien Springs, served at the Adventist church in Lansing before his recent appointment to the Escanaba church. He is married and has two children.

The speaker illustrated his talk with a series of chalk drawings. Three students attending Cleveland Commercial College on Kiwanis scholarships were guests at the luncheon.

Ladies night will be held by the Kiwanis club next Monday evening. A round-table luncheon will be held at noon, at which a movie, "Community Problem," will be shown.

Briefly Told

Condition Critical—Mrs. Elmer St. Martin and family, 509 South 9th street, were called to Wood, Wis., today by the critical condition of Mr. St. Martin, a patient at the Veterans' hospital.

Janet Lindstrom, seven year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Helmer Lindstrom, 1107 S. 23rd street, submitted to an operation for removal of her appendix Saturday at St. Francis hospital.

Rent Control Act Upheld By Court

Washington, Dec. 12. (P)—The supreme court today upheld the 1949 federal rent control act.

The 8-0 ruling overturned a decision by U. S. District Court Judge Elwyn R. Shaw in Chicago that the act was invalid.

The decision was announced in a brief order which cited an earlier supreme court ruling in a rent control case.

Shaw's ruling was held in abeyance pending today's ruling on an appeal taken directly to the supreme court by the justice department.

Crazed Goat Rancher Gives Up To Police After Wild Gun Fight

Seattle, Dec. 12. (P)—A crazed and wounded goat rancher crawled from his tear-gas-filled house yesterday and begged sheriff's deputies, with whom he had fought a losing gun battle, to "be sure and milk my goats."

Deputy Sheriff Elmo Hudgens said the man, Allen C. Finley, 39, had threatened his estranged wife with a shotgun and wounded a neighbor who tried to pacify him.

Robert E. Bundy, 49, the neighbor, was hit in the arm and attendants at a hospital said his condition was "only fair."

The blowing of big conch-shell horns takes the place of church bells in Kyoto, Japan.



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Rotary Is Host To Youngsters

Crippled Children Luncheon Guests

The Escanaba Rotary club today was host to crippled and handicapped children from special education rooms in the Junior high school, a traditional event during the Christmas season.

John Lemmer, Escanaba superintendent of schools, introduced faculty members who work with and for the handicapped children, including Miss Helen Elaine Stenson, director of elementary education; Miss Cora Peltier, school nurse; Miss Ruth Backels, who instructs the deaf; Miss Elizabeth Lieper, oral instructor; Miss Eva Flemstrom, teacher in the orthopedic room; and Clarence Moore, physical therapist.

The children sang "Silent Night" and "Away in a Manger," accompanied by Miss Flemstrom at the piano.

Moving pictures of the work being done in the special education rooms, and of the new crippled children's camp built last year on the bay shore with the assistance of the Rotary Club, were presented. The movies were made by Harry Gruber, Escanaba.

It was announced at the meeting that next Monday the Rotary club's annual "Christmas cheer" exchange of gifts will be made by the members, with the gifts to be presented to the Salvation Army for baskets to be given to needy families of the community.

Blood Trails Negro Slayer In Mississippi

Warsaw, Miss., Dec. 12. (P)—A wounded negro wanted for the slaying of a Luxora, Ark., woman and the critical wounding of two peace officers was believed cornered today.

Trails of blood led officers to the pigeon roost bottoms four miles south of here where Eddie Hall is believed to have holed up. Deputy Sheriff Fred Fuqua of Byhalia, Miss., said last night.

Sheriff L. B. Slayden and another officer surprised Hall in bed Saturday night 14 miles south of Byhalia. Hall was wounded in an exchange of shots with the officers but escaped, Slayden said.

Fuqua said the officers are awaiting reinforcements before closing in on Hall, who is armed.

Obituary

FRANK ST. PIERRE

The body of Frank J. St. Pierre is in state at Allo funeral home. Services will be conducted from St. Joseph church at 9 a. m., Tuesday, with the Rev. Fr. Arnold Thompson officiating. Burial will be made in Gardens of Rest cemetery.

HENRY RICHER

Funeral services for Henry Richer were held at St. Joseph church at 9 a. m. today with the Rev. Fr. Arnold Thompson officiating. Burial was made in Escanaba township cemetery.

Music of the mass was sung by St. Joseph choir. At the offertory Mrs. Eldridge Baker sang "Jesu Salvator Mundi," and at the close of services, Mrs. Elmer Bonifas sang "Pie Jesu."

Pallbearers were Thomas Richer, Leo Gereau, Joseph Gardner, Dona Marenger, Eugene Marenger and Ray Nadon.

Out-of-town persons attending th services were Mr and Mrs. John Anipen of Ypsilanti, Ed Richer of Iron Mountain and Mr. and Mrs. William Guindon of Detroit.

WILBUR C. LEONARD

Services for Wilbur C. Leonard, former Wells resident who was electrocuted in an industrial accident at Grand Rapids, were held at 11 a. m., today from Allo funeral home.

Archie Wood, chaplain of Cleveland American Legion Post, conducted services, assisted by Herman Mileski, Rev. Fr. Roland Dion officiated at the blessing of the grave in Gardens of Rest cemetery.

Pallbearers were Howard Russha, Joseph Strahan, Eugene Beck, and Emil, George and Ted Frappier. Out-of-town persons here for the services include Thomas Leonard, Janet Roberts, and Mr and Mrs. Irvin Leonard of Grand Rapids, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Sargent of Muskegon and Mrs. Mildred Gereau of St. Jacques.

Funeral services were held Saturday in Grand Rapids.

MRS. JORGEN RONNEBERG

Funeral services for Mrs. Jorgen Ronneberg, who died Thursday in Chicago, were held at 2 p. m., today from Degnan funeral home. Rev. L. R. Lund, pastor of Immanuel Lutheran church, officiated.

During the services Mrs. Alec DeGrand sang "Abide With Me," accompanied by Mrs. L. R. Lund. Pallbearers were William and Thomas Richer, Erling Arntzen, Walter Arntzen, Ellsworth Elling-

sen and Axel Anderson. Burial was in Lakeview cemetery.

Out-of-town persons who attended services included Jorgen Ronneberg of Chicago, Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Carpenter of Niagara Falls, N. Y., Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Hale of Iron Mountain, Mr. and Mrs. Roland Hale of Gladstone, Mrs. William Clifford of St. Paul, Minn., Robert Hale of Battle Creek, Mrs. Annette Jensen and Ingrid Sviland of Chicago, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Anderson and Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Peterson of Larson, Wis.

MISS EDNA E. SARA

Funeral services for Miss Edna E. Sara were held Saturday afternoon at Rock cemetery. Ray Kiiskinen officiated at the rites. A hymn was sung by a trio composed of Mr. and Mrs. Verner Hallinen and Mrs. Henry Harju and a poem was read by Mrs. Leo Enberg.

Pallbearers were Leo Jokinen, Isaac Ranta, Eino Tapola, Ben Halme, Ray Lampinen and Bernard Eilo.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Korpi of Detroit and Mrs. William Holam and Dorothy Sara of Waukegan, Ill., attended the rites.

Jacob Raninen, 61, Rock Resident, Dies This Morning

Jacob Oscar Raninen, 61, of Rock, died this morning at St. Francis hospital after a five day illness.

He was born in Sortavalla, Finland, September 13, 1888, and came to the United States when he was 19 years old. He was a carpenter by trade. He first lived in Tri Mountain, Mich., and then moved to Detroit where he made his home until 2 years ago.

He was a member of the Carpenters Union Local 1832, A. F. of L.

Surviving are his wife, one daughter, Mrs. Chester MacGeorge of Dearborn; four sons, Arvo of Rock, Emil at Pittsburgh, Arnold of Havre de Grace, Md., and Arvi of Dearborn; three grandchildren, and two sisters in Finland.

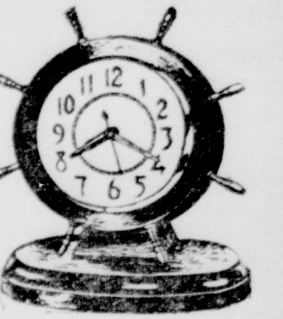
The body is at the Anderson funeral home where friends may call beginning Wednesday afternoon. It will be removed Thursday noon to the Finnish hall at Rock where services will be held at 1:30. Burial will be in Rock cemetery.

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Real Christmas Meaning Stressed

A campaign launched by 45,000 members of the Milwaukee Archconfraternity of Christian Mothers to "put Christ into Christmas" has taken root in Milwaukee and is receiving generous cooperation from merchants in that city.

The campaign was organized by the Catholic women's organization but it is drawing assistance from individuals of all faiths. Recognition of the fact that commercialism of the Christmas season has tended to overshadow the real meaning of Christmas promoted the campaign.

Some of the most generous responses have come from the Milwaukee Jewish community, many of whose members feel that Christians have lost sight of what they are celebrating at Christmas.

Posters and displays depicting the Nativity scene are being shown in many stores and the slogan "Put Christ Into Christmas" is displayed on theater and hotel marquees.

This kind of a campaign can serve a worthwhile purpose, not only in Milwaukee, but in communities throughout the country and all over the Christian world. The emphasis that has been placed on the commercial aspects of Christmas, rather than the spiritual aspects has tended to detract from the real purpose of the Christmas feast.

The result is that many youngsters, conscious only of a worldly Santa Claus, have been unable to grasp the significance of the Christmas holiday. The exchange of gifts is comparatively meaningless unless the reason for gift-giving is understood.

Welfare Chiseling Requires Reforms

A state senate investigating committee has called upon Governor Williams to include in his call for a special session of the legislature in 1950 legislation designed to tighten state welfare laws. The legislation is sought as a means of clamping down on welfare chiseling. Thus far the governor has promised only to consider the proposal.

The costs of welfare have skyrocketed and even now, at a period of general prosperity, the welfare load is terrifically burdensome. The senate committee believes at least \$5,000,000 a year can be saved with corrective legislation and without injuring any deserving recipients. Lopped off would be the welfare chiselers, under the committee's proposal.

One of the new rules advocated by the committee would deny relief to any person who is capable of working but who refuses a job offered to him. Surely that is sensible enough. Why should the taxpayers support a man too lazy to work?

Some reforms in the social welfare program are essential to avoid governmental bankruptcy when employment conditions become more adverse than they are now. Even today Delta county, for instance, has been forced to beg for additional welfare funds from the cities and townships to meet the current welfare load. How can the county hope to meet the terrific burden that may be anticipated if a business recession develops?

Bigness In Industry Due For Inquiry

WHAT historians like to call the "business community" may take some heart from Secretary of Commerce Sawyer's plan to go into the problem of monopolies. The announced objective, of course, is to set up a committee to study co-ordination of all government efforts to stamp out monopoly and unfair trade practices. President Truman asked for the inquiry.

But from the businessmen's standpoint, probably the most important thing about this program is that Sawyer promises to dig into confusion and overlapping of federal laws on the subject, and to attempt to clarify exactly what is considered right and wrong.

Sawyer said executives frequently have told him they want to operate legally, but actually do not know whether certain business practices are lawful or not.

The whole question of bigness in industry is due for attention. If this issue is really tackled earnestly, the investigation could be a milestone in economic history. For right now there is more than a faint hint that bigness is viewed by government anti-trust officials as an evil in itself.

Yet the judgment of numerous economists and other observers is that this notion is an unproved proposition. They contend the government is stretching the anti-trust laws when it tries to use them to destroy bigness on the assumption it is inevitably a menace to free competition.

The truth of this matter is of vital importance to the American people. They enjoy the highest standard of living in the world. To what extent has bigness in industry through its evident economies, contributed to this standard? If business were generally smaller in organization, would the standard be higher or lower?

The answers to these questions are too

critical to be left to Justice Department lawyers who may or may not have a real grasp of this country's economic development. The plain fact is that the "bigness is bad" theory of monopoly represents a new idea not set forth in the anti-trust laws or even necessarily implied by them. The theory is so sweeping that it deserves to be explored exhaustively by the nation's finest economic brains.

Thomas Sentenced To Jail Term

REP. J. PARNELL THOMAS of New Jersey was sentenced to serve six to 18 months in jail and fined \$10,000 for cheating the government by payroll padding Friday. Immediately after Thomas had been sentenced by Federal Judge Holtzoff, his wife announced that she will seek the congressional seat that Rep. Thomas will vacate by resignation.

The congressman was sternly reprimanded by the sentencing judge, who told Thomas that his record in World War I and his work as chairman of the house un-American activities committee were good, but not mitigating factors in the crime for which he was being sentenced to jail. Rep. Thomas violated his congressional responsibilities in a most reprehensible manner. Most Americans will concede that he got off lightly for betraying his public trust.

His wife has a right to seek the congressional seat being vacated by Rep. Thomas, just as any other legal resident of the congressional district. The voters in that district, however, will be conscious of the fact that the election of the wife of Rep. Thomas to the seat that he was forced to yield because of his conviction of a felony would be regarded as upholding the illegal payroll padding practices of Thomas. Her contention that Thomas was "persecuted" has a shallow ring.

Mrs. Thomas said, in announcing her candidacy, "They have ruined his health and now they have done this to my husband. He has paid the price for vigilance."

Tommymvot! Rep. Thomas is going to jail because he was a cheat and for no other reason. We believe the voters of his New Jersey congressional district will recognize this fact when the wife of Rep. Thomas seeks election on a vindication platform.

Other Editorial Comments

GOOD SPUDS—ROTTEN ECONOMICS (Milwaukee Journal)

Last year the United States government paid the 5,000 potato farmers of Aroostock county, Maine, \$65,000,000 in subsidies—an average of \$13,000 a farmer. Dozens of these farmers were paid more than \$100,000 and a few got more than \$400,000 each. The payments were made to take "the surplus" off the market and to keep scarcity prices prevailing.

In the November issue of the American magazine, Vance Packard tells in detail about this "jackpot" and how it raised the Aroostock potato aristocrats to wealth. He also tells about the hundreds of thousands of bushels of prime Maine potatoes which were dumped on a pile a quarter mile long and how finally Uncle Sam spent another \$25,000,000 to dispose of some of the surplus "less wastefully"—mostly by shipping the spuds to an alcohol plant hundreds of miles away and selling them for about 10c a bushel.

He tells, too, about how government's insistence that acreage be cut this year is working out in Maine—the farmers cut their acreage but they lessen the distance between rows and applied more fertilizer, so that the crop this year will reach 400 bushels to the acre on many of the farms. The prospect is that the farmer drivers of Maine's Cadillacs will get new models next spring.

All this shows to what ridiculous ends a price support program can go. Hardly a farmer in Aroostock county this year had even a family vegetable garden. Potatoes continued to be his only crop, even though he knew that a surplus was inevitable. He bought his vegetables, his milk, his butter and his meat at the grocery, because, with Uncle Sam still paying, it was cheaper that way.

How far are we going with this kind of economic insanity?

The old idea of help was to prevent agricultural collapse from vagaries of weather or market. The new idea seems to be to guarantee unprecedented prosperity despite deliberate overproduction.

Greece has proposed two defense pacts with Mediterranean countries. Moscow probably will sneer that the Western world is going pact happy.

A Georgia man swallowed some gasoline by mistake. The best antidote we know of is to keep away from fire.

Civilized nations brought about the last war and now they say the next war will end civilization. Sounds like a vicious circle.

Take My Word For It . . . Frank Colby

WORDS TO MATCH

The word economics is syllabified thus: e-co-nom-ics. The accents fall on the first and third syllables. Since the first syllable is both open and accented, the "e" properly has the long sound: EE-kuh-NOM'iks, and this is the consensus of all dictionaries. Some list as second choice: EK-uh-NOM'iks.

I recommend EE-kuh-NOM'iks for this reason: In both American and British usage it is customary to give vowels the long sound in open, accented syllables.

Strictly speaking, diction means choice of words to express ideas clearly. For this reason, the dictionary is so called—it is a book about words and how to use them correctly. However, diction, in the meaning of enunciation and pronunciation, is now sanctioned by a few American dictionaries, and is generally accepted as correct. Pronounce it: DIK-sh'n. Dictionary is: DIK-sh'n-EHR-ee.

Europe's Status Still Difficult

BY MARQUIS CHILDS

Washington—The contrast between Europe immediately after the end of the war and Europe today goes deeper than the surface of physical recovery. It seems to me to sum up as follows:

In 1946 and '47 we were agreeably surprised to see that the European invalid was on his feet. After the long and terrible years of the war, the vigor and normality displayed were astonishing. We were quick—to quick—to conclude that the damage had been exaggerated.

An easy and facile optimism was the immediate result. A few years of the Marshall plan would put everything to rights again.

The observer who tries honestly to see beneath the surface cannot come away now, nearly five years after the end of the European war, with any such optimism. The corrosion and corruption resulting not from one but from two world wars have cut deeply into the fabric of civilization in western Europe.

SOME REASON FOR OPTIMISM
This means, of course, that far greater patience, skill, understanding and resolution must come from the United States and western Europe working in unison if the values of that civilization are to be conserved and extended. There is a suspicion that in trying to run before he could walk the invalid may actually have done himself harm while deceiving the rest of the world into believing falsely in his recovery.

But in my opinion it does not necessarily follow that we should be overcome by pessimism. On a more realistic basis than two or three years ago, it even may be possible to see some small reason for optimism.

In 1949 American policy in Europe—as contrasted to the Far East—has moved cautiously and tentatively forward.

A gain has been recorded in Germany. The ultimate result is not guaranteed. But at least a dangerous drift toward more violent and virulent nationalism in the Nazi pattern has been checked by positive action on which the western allies were in general agreed.

That action has even greater significance than has been so far revealed. The agreement ratified by Secretary of State Dean Acheson's visit to Chancellor Konrad Adenauer covers two major points of policy to be implemented in the coming year.

Point No. 1: Adenauer agreed to put into effect a carefully worked out program of decentralization grounded in new laws to be adopted by the west German government. This is in accord with a plan evolved by United States High Commissioner John J. McCloy.

It will be patterned after the system of anti-trust laws in this country. But, in addition, special courts would be created to umpire cartel decisions. German businessmen could refer proposed mergers and combines to such courts to determine whether the contemplated steps were in violation of laws forbidding cartels. This, it happens, is more than American businessmen can do, since anti-trust laws in this country provide only for punitive action on charges that the laws have been violated.

Point No. 2: Adenauer agreed to work for a law or laws that would forbid racial persecution or racial discrimination. This is aimed at the rising anti-semitism that threatens to develop into a new cult of hate like that on which Hitler rose to power.

SOME ENCOURAGEMENT
The best hopes of this agreement may fail if Adenauer—and, even more important, his rivals for power—are encouraged to believe that a west German army is essential to western security. Such encouragement is bound to persuade the Germans that they need do nothing to comply with allied desires.

Unfortunately, such encouragement has come, both publicly and privately, from American and British military men of high rank. One of the unhappiest examples was the public statement of Gen. Lucius D. Clay in favor of arming western Germany. The former chief of the U. S. occupation forces chose to make that statement at a time when complicated and difficult negotiations were in progress with Adenauer.

Clay should know well enough the handicap of having critics and kibitzers who shout from afar. McCloy must have a chance to try to carry through the German policy that is now advanced to a beginning phase. The integration of western Germany with western Europe can mean a long advance in stability.

The word encore, according to most dictionaries, is accented on the second syllable, thus: ahng-KORE. This is a pseudo-French pronunciation which never has prevailed in American usage. In the French pronunciation the first syllable has the nasal sound, and the second syllable, which receives a slight accent, has the vowel sound of "aw," thus: ah(n)-KAWR.

In the Standard American pronunciation the first syllable is accented and the second syllable rhymes with bore, core, thus: AHN-kore; also: AHNG-kore.

The words dairy and diary are often confused, especially in spelling. Dairy, "a dairy farm; a place for producing and distributing milk products," is: DEHR-ee. Diary, "a written daily account of one's thoughts and experiences," is: DY-uh-ree, or, in informal speech: DY-ree.

Heard on a Hollywood broadcast: " . . . descended on us en mass-AV." The French phrase en masse means "in a body or mass." The final "e" of masse is silent, or, as the French say, muet (mute). In the French pronunciation, en has the nasal sound, and masse is like the English word mass, thus: ah(n) MASS.

However, in best American usage the phrase is Anglicized in pronunciation, on rhyming with pen, and masse rhyming with pass (flat "a"), thus: en MASS.

Epoch means "a period of time marked by certain events," as, "Henry Ford started the epoch of the automobile." Do not say "EE-epoch." Although "EE-epoch" is listed as second choice in some dictionaries, it has never prevailed in American usage. Better say: EP-uck.

Pretty Skinny, Isn't He?



Good Evening By Clint Dunathan

HOME FIRES—This is the season when the home fires will be kept burning—sometimes too brightly. For more than 15,000 dwelling fires destroyed over seven million dollars worth of property in Michigan last year, according to the fire bureau of the Michigan State Police.

Most of these dwelling fires—over 8,500 of them—were caused by defects in or improper handling of cooking and heating equipment. Families have been wiped out in home fires.

homes have been lost with all their contents. Fire is usually a tragic and needless waste, both of life and of property.

Keep the home fires burning? Not unless you are certain that the home fire is a safe fire.

THE CHILDREN DIE—About one-half of those who died last year in fires were children. It is the children who are least able to escape the flames. They are most likely to be the tragic sacrifice on the altar of adult carelessness. And sometimes those adults are the parents.

In Michigan last year, 289 persons lost their lives to fires, burns and explosions. Of these deaths, 278 occurred in homes—and nearly half of them were children.

Parents owe it to their children, if not to themselves, to be careful in the use of fire. They should teach fire safety to their children. It is not as difficult as some parents believe.

THE FIRE BUG—Most children go through a period of development when fire and the starting of fires is a fascinating experience. In an effort to help get the fire bug out of the child's system by telling the child of the danger of fire.

"Our house would be burned down. We would have no home. Your dolly would be burned up." Parents might well permit even the young child, who shows an interest in fire-setting, to build and light picnic fires under parental supervision.

"This fire is safe. It is not too big. It will make us warm and cook the marshmallows."

At home, matches should always be kept away from young children. In addition to teaching fire safety, parents might caution children about the burns that can come from hot water. Youngsters should not be encouraged to play near the stove.

SMOKERS—Arnold Renner, chief of the fire bureau of Michigan State Police, reports that careless smoking habits accounted for about 3,500 fires in the state last year.

This cause could be eliminated if some care were given the proper handling of smoking materials, especially cigarettes, he reports. "A cigarette does not 'go out,' but burns out, and with it burns any combustible material that may be in contact with it."

Ash trays should be provided for the smokers in the house and they should use them. Cigarettes should be crushed out in ash trays and never left smoldering.

QUICK AND BIG—The use of petroleum liquid for quickening the start of a stove or furnace fire is always a hazard, says Renner. It is a deadly practice. Those who do it will carry the oil can to the stove once too often. There

INTO THE PAST

Ten Years Ago

Newberry—Harry Quinlan has left for Reed City, to join Pat Detzler, a former resident of Newberry, for a two week vacation in Florida.

Escanaba—Barbara Riley of Gladstone, Jean Stack of Escanaba and Hettie Wurtz of Rock have been named Good Citizenship representatives by the Lewis Cass chapter of the D. A. R.

Manistiguc—Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Van Dyck have left for a visit in Muskegon and Flint, after which they will leave for Florida to spend the winter.

Twenty Years Ago

Escanaba—Miss Blanche Coulihan has been summoned from Milwaukee by the illness of her father Thomas Coulihan.

Manistiguc—Dr. J. A. Reese has arrived in the city and will move into the offices formerly occupied by Dr. W. E. Thomson.

Manistiguc—Mrs. L. T. Kendall, who has been visiting with her mother, Mrs. Gordon Hughes for the past three months, has left for Boston, where she will spend a few days with friends before going to Florida for the winter.

Gladstone—Mrs. Leona Knutson was elected orator of the Royal Neighbors society this week. She succeeds Mrs. Bertha Page.

A few years ago we heard a great deal about the so-called Morgenthau plan which was designed to turn Germany into a goat pasture. Do we now have a Morgenthau plan for the United States?

Guy Gabrielson, Republican National Committee Chairman.

When the break will come no one can predict with certainty. Perhaps it will be at Stalin's death because he is the only Russian leader who commands the respect of both the colonels and the commissars. But it is bound to come some day.—ECA Administrator Paul Hoffman, on internal collapse of Russia.

If a presidential election were to be held today the Republican Party would win.—Sen. Robert Taft, R. Ohio.

will be a flash of flame, an explosion that will scatter blazing oil over the room, and the stage will be set for another tragedy—such as the fire that last year in Muskegon county took the lives of two adults and nine children.

Extremely cold weather often brings a series of such accidents. In an effort to hurry the fire oil is poured into the stove or furnace, creating volatile gases that cause explosive fires. Better a slow fire than a quick death.

KEEP IT CLEAN—Although the winter heating season is upon us, it is not too late to make (or have made) a thorough check of your heating and wiring equipment so that it will be fire safe.

This will eliminate a very high percentage of dwelling fires. See that all parts of heating appliances and smoke pipes are at least 18 inches from any combustible material. Place ashes and clinkers in metal containers.

Keep your basement clean and rubbish away from the furnace or stove.

And a final word on fire safety: If you value the lives of your children—don't leave them at home alone.

Public Forum

Be brief. Avoid personalities. Pen names are permissible but sign your real name and address to all letters. Help keep your community on its toes.

Every Man For Himself

Dear Editor:

I was surprised by the attitude of the person who wrote the letter "Pickpockets Active" in a recent issue of the Forum. I was sincerely sorry for the person who lost the billfold containing \$50 but I think the person had the wrong slant in blaming the store for the loss. I am in no way connected with any store in Escanaba or elsewhere, either.

It is not possible for a store to keep watch for the personal belongings of all the people that visit a store, particularly now during the Christmas shopping season. It's every man for himself, I say. Keep your purse close to you at all times and be on guard for pickpockets. You can protect your own purse better than a cop or a store clerk, that's sure.

It's not fair to blame someone else for your misfortune.

Fair-Minded.

Barnyard Follies

Dear Editor:

Maybe this subject is too undignified to publish in your letters column, but I'm going to get it off my chest. You can throw it away if you want to.

The other night I attended a movie. The theatre was crowded and the show was good. I would have enjoyed it much except for a potent barnyard odor that somebody brought in with him. (or was it her?) The culprit must have come to the show fresh from the cowbarn—and I mean fresh!

Just thought you might want to publish this letter as a hint to farmers to change their shoes before going to the theater. You know, even your best friends won't tell you.

Movie Fan

So They Say

No matter which party is in power here, we can balance our budget only by sacrificing Western Europe, and with it the rest of the world, to communism and the tender mercies of Soviet Russia.

—James Roosevelt, candidate for Democratic gubernatorial nomination in California.

The longer range problem is not one of inflation but of deflationary pressures due to over-production and due to inability to distribute our abundant production among the people.

—Marriner S. Eccles, former chairman of Federal Reserve system.

The fact that Egyptian policy aims at strengthening the Arab League and at maintaining a closer co-operation among its members does not mean overlooking its own international policy with other states.

—Premier Hossein Sirry Pasha of Egypt.

I'd like to nail down the fantastic estimate that if all American farmers were subsidized at the rate suggested for milk producers, the administration proposals would cost nineteen billion annually.

—Agriculture Secretary Brannan

The Washington Merry-Go-Round

BY DREW PEARSON

Washington.—Now that the case of Congressman Parnell Thomas has been disposed of, the justice department might take a look at another congressman, this one a Democrat. He is Victor Wickersham of Mangum, Okla., a likable gentleman, with considerable skill at manipulating the congressional payroll.

Congressman Wickersham states in his self-penned biography in the Congressional Record that he was "reared on a cotton, wheat and dairy farm near Mangum, Okla., and on a wheat and poultry farm near Greensburg, Kans." For a farm boy, the congressman has come a long way. He now operates his own real estate business, not merely in Oklahoma, but right in the nation's capital, and has one real estate agent drawing money from the congressional payroll.

It is important to remember that congressional payrolls are not paid for by a member of congress. They are paid by the taxpayers, and allotted to each member of congress in order to help him run his office and perform services for the people of his district. Thus, when money voted for this purpose is diverted to run a real estate firm, it actually robs the people who send a congressman to Washington.

TWO INTERESTING NAMES
The congressman from Oklahoma has two interesting names on his payroll:

1. James W. Taylor—who does not work in the congressman's office at all, but is a salesman for the Herd Equipment company of Oklahoma City. He draws \$7,720 a year from the congressman, and \$4,000 for selling machinery, plus another \$17.50 from the taxpayers each month in the form of an army pension.

2. Lloyd Matthews—who hasn't been around the congressman's office since last summer, but has been employed in the congressman's real estate firm at a salary of \$2,200—from the taxpayers.

Unique fact is that Wickersham's office, when queried, didn't even recognize Taylor's name. The secretary in charge, Aubrey Witt, scratched his head, finally recalled that the congressman knew a Jim Taylor in Hobart, Okla. Yet Taylor is the highest on the office pay roster, presumably should be in Washington working hard for the folks back home.

Witt remembered Matthews without any trouble, but reported he was working in the congressman's real estate office. He hadn't been around the congressional office for months, Witt said.

This column then put through a call to Mr. Taylor in Hobart, Okla. Here is the transcript of the conversation:

Question: You used to be in the sheriff's office, didn't you, Mr. Taylor?

Taylor: That's right.

Q: Whom do you work for now?

A: The Herd Equipment company.

Q: Do you also work for Congressman Wickersham?

A: Yes.

Q: What do you do for the congressman?

A: Oh, I work as a clerk.

Q: What kind of clerical work do you do?

A: Oh, I answer letters for him.

Q: Does the congressman get many letters these days?

A: No, not many.

Q: You mean to say you get \$7,700 a year just to answer a few letters?

A: You ought to talk to the congressman about that.

Q: Well, do you work full time for Mr. Wickersham?

A: Yes.

Q: I thought you said you worked for the Herd Equipment company.

A: Well, I'm on contract with them. I work on contract.

Q: Do you kick back any part of your salary to Congressman Wickersham?

A: No, sir!

Q: Then how do you explain getting \$7,700 a year just for answering a few letters?

Michigan GOP Plans Attack

U. P. Republicans Meet At Blaney

Blaney Park—Republican leaders of Michigan, meeting with party workers of Northern Michigan Saturday at Blaney Park, discussed campaign plans for 1950 and heard Owen J. Cleary, chairman of the GOP state central committee, declare the party's program will be "one of attack and not defense" in the coming campaign.

Keynoting the attack program, Cleary charged that Gov. Williams "is the most dangerous man in the state of Michigan because of the responsibility he owes" to August Scholle, PAC-CIO official, and to John Gibson, assistant secretary of labor.

"Most of the Republican campaign next year must be directed toward the governor," Cleary told the meeting of Northern Michigan Republican association, composed of GOP county units from the 11th and 12th congressional districts. Association membership is among 15 Upper Peninsula and nine counties from the northern part of the Lower Peninsula.

Delta county, in the 11th district, was represented at the meeting by Tom Beaton, chairman of the county Republican committee, and Atty. James Fitzharris.

While Cleary warned that a tough campaign is ahead for Michigan Republicans, he pointed to the success of "grass roots" movements in the past and called upon party members in every township and city to work and to vote.

In connection with Northern Michigan planks in the Republican platform, it was suggested that better transportation service at the Straits be included. To this end a committee was appointed and a resolution was adopted calling for re-creation of the Mackinac Bridge Authority.

Republican state central committee members who were introduced at the Blaney meeting included Mrs. Rae C. Hooker, national committeewoman from Michigan; Mrs. Catherine Gibson, president of the Republican Women's Federation of Michigan; and Mrs. Mary Streit, vice chairman of the state central committee.

Arthur J. Bruneau of Hancock, chairman of the Northern Michigan Republican association, presided at the meeting and introduced the speakers.

3,000 Children At Escanaba C-C Christmas Party

More than three thousand children of Delta county were entertained by the Escanaba Chamber of Commerce at its three Christmas parties held at the Wm. W. Oliver auditorium Saturday.

Popcorn and candy were distributed to the youngsters. Assisting in the program were the members of the Rotary, Kiwanis, Lions, Business and Professional Women's and Newcomers clubs.

Willis J. Anthony Heads Delta RAM

Willis J. Anthony was elected High Priest of Delta Chapter 118, R. A. M., at the annual meeting held at the Masonic Temple.

Associate officers for the new year are:

Theodore L. Farrow, King. Hubert M. Allen, Scribe. C. Arthur Preston, Treasurer. Chas. Hammar, Secretary. Oscar Carterud, Captain of Host.

Andrew A. Nelson, Principal Sojourner. Jack L. Shiner, Royal Arch Captain.

Clarence Shiner, Third Guard. Rev. Glenn Kjenberg, Second Guard.

Howard S. Wade, First Guard. T. Percy Owen, Sentinel.

Peter Jensen, Trustee for three years.

Elks Launch Program To Build Leadership Among Nation's Youth

A program to strengthen democracy by developing leadership among America's youth has been launched by the Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks, H. W. Needham exalted ruler of the Escanaba lodge of Elks, disclosed today.

Needham said that, as the first step in the program, the Grand Lodge Activities Committee this year will award eleven \$300 college scholarships to boys and girls with the most distinguished records for leadership. One award will be made in each of eleven districts into which the country has been divided for the purpose. The awards will be made to high school seniors who are qualified for college entrance and must be used to finance the first year's college expenses.

The scholarships will be financed by a grant from the Elks National Foundation, the Order's charitable trust, to the Youth Activities Committee which was established by the Grand Lodge convention at Cleveland last July and given the job of developing a broadened youth program designed to meet today's needs.

Needham added that these leadership awards are entirely apart from the Elks National Foundation's Most Valuable Student Scholarships granted to financially deserving students with highest scholastic attainments. Under this program, now in its 18th year, the Foundation in July will grant 30 scholarships totalling \$12,000 and ranging in value from \$800 to \$300.

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Police Investigate Minor Accidents

Gladstone — Michigan State Police investigated two property damage accidents over the weekend.

A gasoline truck owned by the Bark River Oil Co. and driven by Edward T. LeBeau, Bark River Route One, went out of control and tipped over on M-69 one-half mile north of the Delta-Menominee County line Saturday afternoon. LeBeau who was injured told officers that something went wrong with the steering mechanism of the truck. The truck did not catch fire.

The second was a collision Sunday afternoon at 3:30 of cars driven by Clifford Roberts, 320 Ludington street, Escanaba, and Joe Steff, Cornell Route One, on County road 425 one-half mile south of Carroll's Corners. Roberts was slowing to make a turn into a private driveway and Steff was attempting to pass when the accident occurred. No one was injured. The cars were slightly damaged.

Dogs Lost Near Beaver Sunday

Gladstone — Lawrence Girard, 914 First avenue south, Escanaba, reported to Michigan State Police the loss of two dogs, a cocker spaniel and an English setter Sunday north of Beaver Crossing northwest of Perkins. The dogs disappeared after Girard had let them out of the car for a run.

Bark River

Rosary Society The meeting of St. George Rosary society which was scheduled for tonight, has been postponed until Wednesday. The meeting Dec. 14 will begin promptly at 8. All members are requested to attend.

Lyle Richter Of Milwaukee Dies Of Heart Attack

Lyle Richter, of 839 North 13th street, Milwaukee, son-in-law of Frank Stoik of this city, died unexpectedly of a heart attack Sunday morning at 2:30.

Mr. Stoik left for Milwaukee immediately following word of his death.

Mr. Richter who spent his vacations with the Stoik family at their summer home at Sand Bay was known to many Escanaba residents. He is survived by his wife, the former Dymna Stoik of this city, and one daughter, Patricia.



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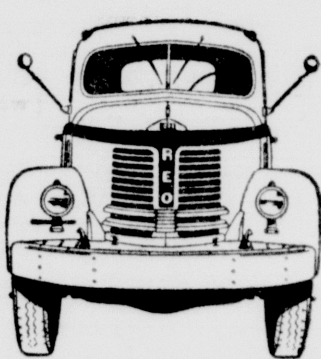
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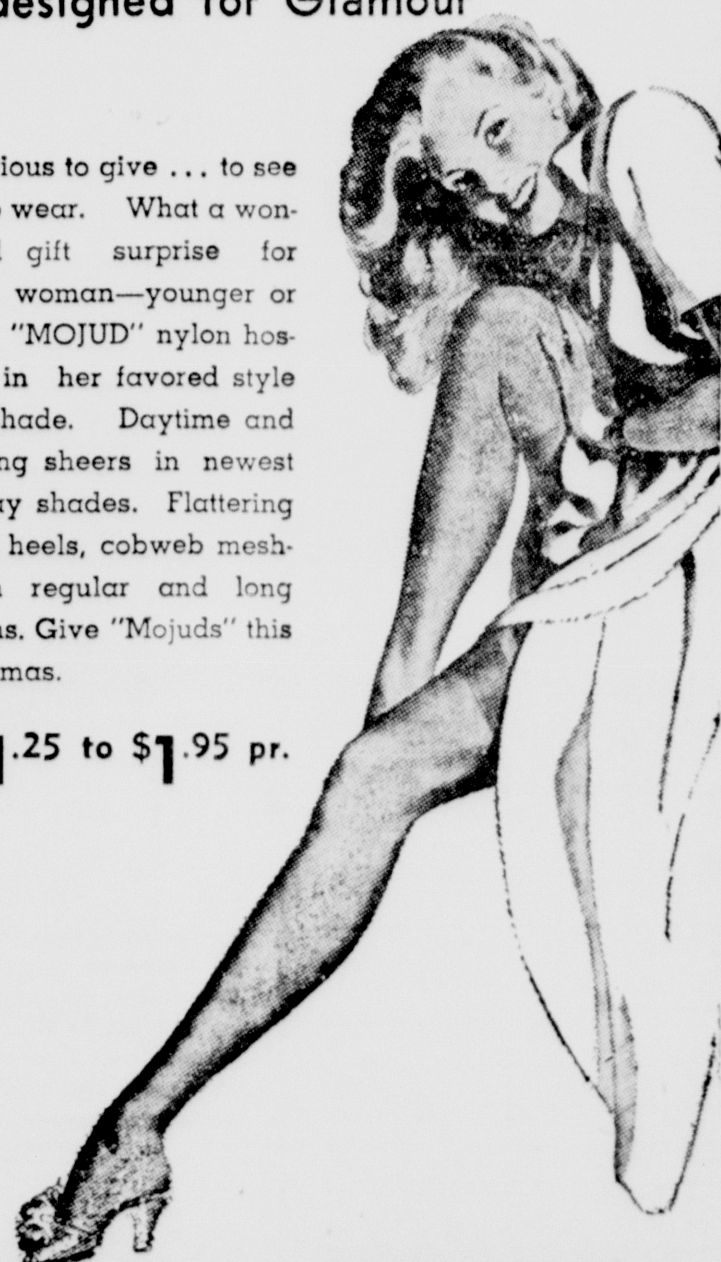
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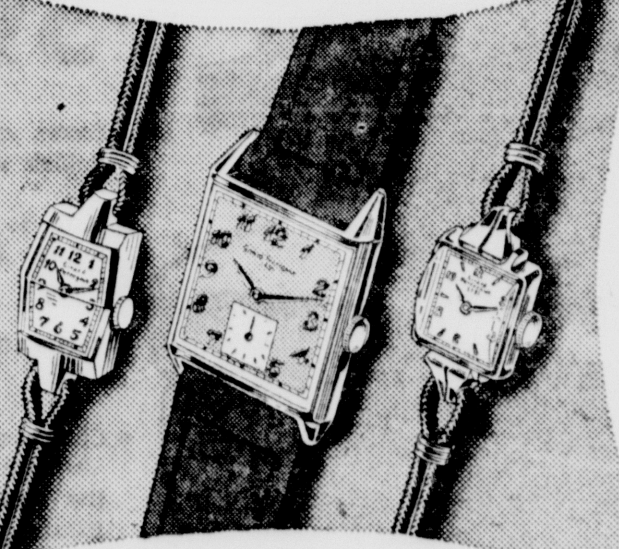
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Rock River Home Of C. C. Brown Lost In Blaze

Chatham, Mich.—Fire of undetermined origin destroyed the Rock River home of C. C. Brown about 5:30 Thursday morning.

Brown and his grandson, Peter Braamse of Escanaba, who were sleeping on the second floor, were awakened by the smoke. Making their way to the main floor and basement stairway, they discovered the basement afire.

Braamse returned to the second floor to awaken a house guest. Brown broke open a basement window from the outside and reached in to remove a box of valuables, which was stored on the window ledge. In so doing, Brown was painfully but not seriously burned on the hands and head.

The three men escaped from the burning building in their night clothes and were unable to remove any of their possessions. They found shelter in a nearby camp until fire fighters arrived.

An alarm was sent to Munising by the Alger county snowplow crew, but the Munising department was unable to respond. Chatham sent men and some equipment, but the fire was beyond control when the firemen arrived. The home stood on the shore of Lake Superior at Rock River and had been the subject of many newspaper feature articles. A large oil painting of the dwelling and a nearby waterwheel is on display in Hudson's Store in Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. Brown built their first cabin at Rock River in 1904. The building, destroyed in this fire, was built in 1907. Mrs. Brown died about eight years ago. Mr. Brown, now 83 years old, operates a cottage resort at Rock River. He is the father of Mrs. Byron Braamse of Escanaba.

Unlucky Black Cloud Shadows Young Man At Manhattan Beach

Manhattan Beach, Calif., Dec. 12 (AP)—Lloyd Trout? He's the guy standing under that black cloud. Everything happens to him.

Take last Saturday, for instance.

Trout drove up to a spot called Inspiration point. Every state has at least one. But this point is a cliff 350 feet high.

With a buddy, Lloyd looked for his lost driver's license. A fearsome gale blew up from the ocean.

Both youths got out of the auto together. Suddenly the car, its doors acting as sails, was snatched by the wind and whisked over the cliff to the beach below. A total wreck.

And that isn't all. Two months ago, Trout, a likeable chap of 23, broke his ankle. Then his wife and son became seriously ill.

He borrowed \$400 on the car to pay the doctor bills.

While digging mussels on the beach two days ago he fell in the ocean. Then he lost the wallet. And lastly, his car.

Today's Birthday

EDWARD G. ROBINSON, born Dec. 12, 1893 as Emanuel Goldenberg in Bucharest, Romania, son of a housebuilder. Millions of movie goers know him for his portrayal of tough gangster roles. But his acting, both on stage and screen has covered a much wider range. His memorable screen roles include the forceful managing editor in "Five Star Final," and the patient scientist in "Dr. Ehrlich's Magic Bullet." Robinson immigrated to America with his parents at 10, and lived in a New York tenement. At school he was editor of the school paper, took part in plays and declamation contests and dreamed of being a rabbi. At 20 he went on the stage. He has a famous collection of modern art.



EDW. G. ROBINSON

Bank Disputes Claim Of \$400,000 Against Menominee Estate

Menominee, Mich., (AP)—An answer to a nephew's \$400,000 suit against the estate of the late Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Blesch is now on file in Menominee county circuit court.

The First National Bank of Menominee disputed the claim of Frank Blesch Lewis of Fayetteville, Ark., that the money still was due him from the estate of his grandfather, Francis Blesch, who died in 1879.

Lewis contended in his suit that G. A. Blesch, son of Francis Blesch and executor of his estate, failed to make an accounting and that trust funds amounting to \$400,000 were due him.

The bank's answer contained a copy of a receipt it said Lewis signed in 1921 acknowledging payment of Lewis' distributive share in the personal estates of Francis Blesch and his wife, Antoinette, who died in 1916.

At the time the Francis Blesch estates were appraised in a Wisconsin probate court, they were judged to be worth about \$83,000.

Francis Blesch originally had directed that upon death of his wife the estate was to be shared equally by all heirs. Lewis was one of four heirs listed for shares in Mrs. Blesch's estate.

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Munising News

FREE SHOW

Munising—Children of this area are invited to a free show which will be run several times during the day, at the Delft theater Wednesday. The admission "price" will be a can of food, which will go toward a community Christmas basket which will be distributed among needy persons by the Business and Professional Women's club.

MUNISING BRIEFS

The Masonic lodge will hold its annual business meeting at 7:30 Wednesday evening at the Masonic hall. Officers for the coming year will be elected.

The city band will play a concert of marches and concert numbers on the Delft theater stage between shows Wednesday night.

The Presbyterian Guild will have its annual Christmas party at 8 Wednesday evening in the church parlor. A potluck lunch will be served and there will be a gift exchange. Members are also requested to bring a toy for distribution.

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tribution among mission children. The Wetmore School club will hold a Christmas party at 7 Tuesday night at the school. There will be a potluck lunch and a social time, as well as a gift exchange.

Arnold A. Ohman, gunner's mate, second class, left Saturday to report for Naval duty at Newport, R. I., after spending a 20-day leave here with his mother, Mrs. Signe Ohman.

McCruden-Koukkari
Munising—Announcement has been made of the marriage of

Helen McCruden, of Munising, and Werner Koukkari, of Chatham, which took place Saturday afternoon, Dec. 3, at the home of Justice Kemp H. Brown. Mrs. Lillian Cherwinski and Reino Maki attended the couple. A wedding luncheon was served at the Sylvan Inn after the ceremony.

Mr. and Mrs. Koukkari will return this week from a honeymoon trip to Detroit. She will resume her position at the Bancroft Dairy office and he will leave after Jan. 1 to enter a Flint barber college.



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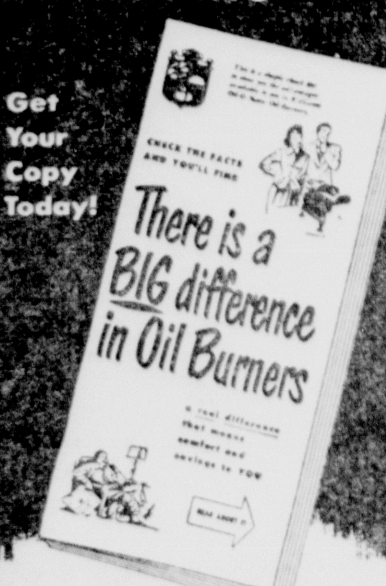
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Holiday Mail Rush Starting

Post Office Will Be Open Longer

The Escanaba post office will go on holiday schedule beginning Dec. 12, with windows open from 7:30 a. m. to 7:30 p. m., Postmaster Regina W. Cleary announced today.

Yuletide parcel post should all be in the mail by today to assure delivery before Christmas.

"If packages aren't ready until later, use the new Air Parcel Post service," she warned.

Christmas packages have been flooding into the post office for the last week. Local cancellations normally average 10,000 pieces of mail per day. Now they're up to about 18,000 per day.

The postmaster is having her usual seasonal headaches with fragile gift boxes that fall apart in the mails. "Somebody tied up a bottle of perfume in very thin cardboard this morning," she reports. "It got on the bottom of a pile. Now we have five sacks of fragrantly scented gifts to deliver."

All packages should be wrapped in heavy corrugated cardboard, the postmaster says. She suggests repeating the address on a card inside the package, in case the outer wrapping becomes torn.

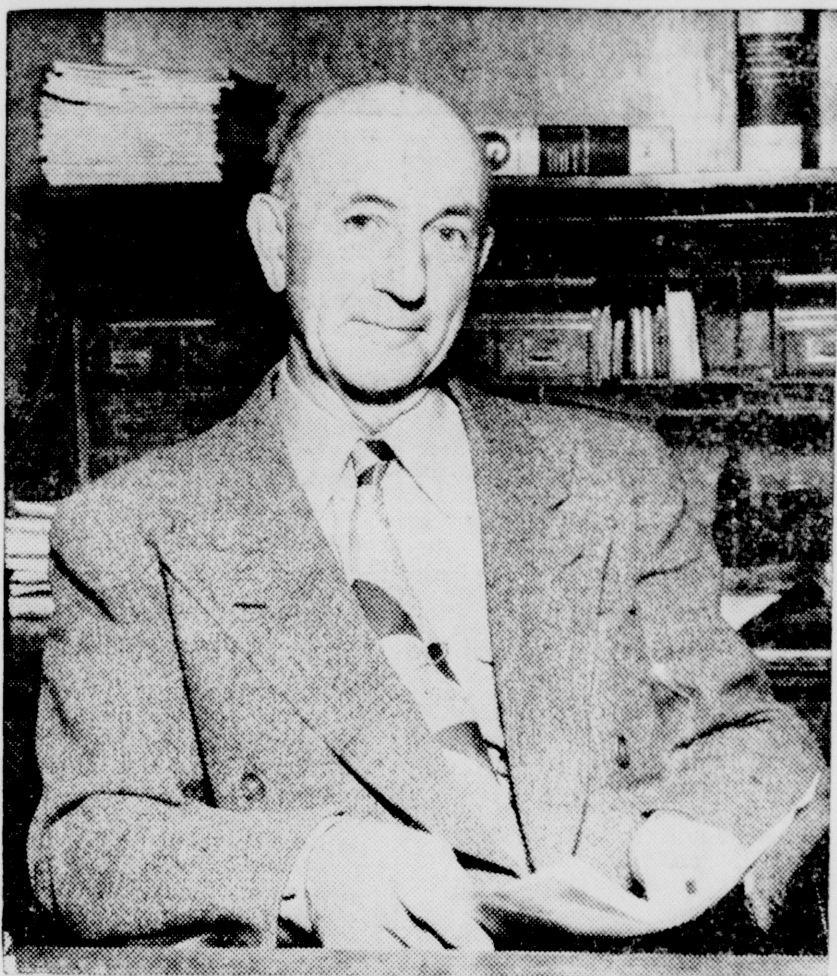
After your packages are out of the way, the postmaster advises you to get busy immediately addressing your Christmas cards. Greetings for out-of-state should be mailed by Dec. 15, and cards for local delivery should be deposited at least the Thursday before Christmas.

Fayette

Parties
Fayette, Mich.—Mrs. Glen Thill was surprised by neighbors Saturday evening to join her in celebrating her birthday anniversary. Games were played after which potluck lunch was served, a lovely birthday cake centering the table. Mrs. Thill received many nice gifts.

A large group of ladies attended a pink and blue shower party at the town hall Tuesday night honoring Mrs. Leslie Birk. In games of 500 prizes were won by Mrs. Helen Smith and Mrs. Mildred Farley for first and second places and Mrs. Joseph Lineske for consolation. After a sumptuous lunch was served, Mrs. Birk opened and acknowledged her many lovely presents. Mrs. Myron Devet received the guest award.

Briefs
Rev. and Mrs. Fuerstman and Mr. and Mrs. John Pistulka of Manistique were callers at the Alex Rasmussen home Sunday afternoon.



DIVISION ENGINEER FOR C&NW—Ralph D. Ransom, former building superintendent for the Madison, Wis., division of the Chicago & North Western Railroad, became Peninsula division engineer for the C&NW effective Dec. 1, with headquarters in Escanaba. Ransom succeeds Bruce G. Packard, who was transferred to Huron, S. D.

Restaurants Warned About Colored Oleo

Lansing.—P—Restaurants have been warned that the State Agriculture department will prosecute operators permitting the use of colored oleomargarine in their kitchens.

Miles A. Nelson, chief of the Bureau of Marketing and Enforcement, said his inspectors had recently warned several restaurant owners in the Lansing area when they were found cooking with colored oleo or oleo mixed with butter returned from tables.

The possession of colored oleo by a restaurant, he warned, is enough evidence for a prosecution for violation of state and federal laws. Restaurants need a \$600 federal license and must pay an additional 10 cents a pound tax if they use colored oleo.

Penalties range up to 90 days in jail, \$100 fine or both.

Restaurants use of colored oleo and its retail sale in stores, Nelson pointed out, is still illegal in Michigan. The new law which would permit the sale was suspended by petition until a popular vote can be taken on it in the November, 1950, election.

The strawberry vine is a member of the rose family.

Cornell

Personals
Cornell, Mich.—Leo Kivi was dismissed Wednesday from St. Francis hospital where he has been confined for the past few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Welch have returned to Manistique after a visit at the Alfred Dahl home.

Billy Mattson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Mattson, was admitted to St. Francis hospital for treatment Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Simson of Albion, N. Y., visited recently at the A. A. Lundgaard home and also with Mr. and Mrs. Phil Clark of Wells.

Parents Of Daughter
Mr. and Mrs. Neil Lundgaard of Ada, Okla., are the parents of a daughter. Mr. Lundgaard is a son of the August Lundgaards of this community.

Injured By Bull
Robert Mattson received bruises on the side and shoulder when he was crowded against the barn wall by a bull which broke loose and which he was attempting to recapture.

Cottage Meetings
The Cornell Methodist church will hold cottage meetings instead of services in the church building during the winter months. The first will be at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Unto Anderson Wednesday evening, December 14, at 8. Rev. Karl J. Hammar will be in charge.

Ruark Is Scared In Los Angeles

Inferiority Complex Gets Writer Again

By ROBERT C. RUARK

Los Angeles.—I dunno what it is about cities that hits you hard or soft, or whether the town molds the personalities of its people or the other way around.

All I know is that when I am in a place like San Francisco I own it and when I am in L. A. I am scared to death.

I can hop off the plane in Denver or New Orleans and I am home before they dump the baggage into the claim room. Before the wheels touch at the San Francisco airport I am already a voting member of the community—ready to rattle for marbles or chalk. But the city of the turkey-furter and the gentian-violet sunglasses makes me wish for a mother to hold my hot little hand, or at least a seeing eye dog to get me safely across the streets.

You can pick up a phone book in Casablanca or Honolulu or Ha-

vana and enter into combat with the operator with no fear or at least small timidity. I hate to approach the directory in Los Angeles, because I have never really known the difference between Hollywood and Beverly Hills or where the devil Burbank actually is. Also all I ever get is somebody's secretary, with the information that Mr. X's number is not in the public domain.

All Unlisted Numbers
This is the town where you feel that everybody must have unlisted numbers and that all houses are surrounded by charged wire and fierce mastiffs. I always feel sensitive because I am not a movie character or at least a gossip writer, and I wouldn't dare walk into Romanoff's unless I was flanked by at least two grade-A producers.

All the people I do meet in Los Angeles are as pleasant as people elsewhere, but the strange people stare at you hostilely, as if you intended to cut into their racket.

I am abashed before the drug-stores, which seem to be dressed up for a premiere, and even the hamburger stands are too gaudy for my digestion. All the burlesque dancers look like Healy Lamarr and they seem to be sore because they aren't. Everything I run across in public is a production and the only simple folks I meet are actors and directors and writers. They mostly stay home, because I think they are as scared of the place as I am.

What frightens me most is the Cadillacs. There may be other brands of automobile in greater Los Angeles, but I haven't seen them. If you drive a Ford or a Chevy or a Buick into a parking

lot, the attendant doesn't bother to give you an identification ticket. But if you sail in with a Cad, a dogtag is mandatory, to keep the drunks from going off with the wrong car.

Just An Ordinary Guy

The one Hollywoodian I know who owns no Cadillac is a busy young man named Richard Widmark, a slight blond fellow with a pleasant giggle that comes out most sinister on the screen. Mr. Widmark is a mild man, but he was once cast as a hood who giggled while he pushed an old lady down the stairs and since then has slain literally hundreds of innocents for 20th Century-Fox.

Dick is not a good example of a non-Cadillac owning actor, however, since he is a shy actor who tells his son that he really is a sailor on a ship. He also forbids television in his home, because he is afraid of the impact of its blood letting productions on his child. Widmark figures one professional villain is enough for one house.

There is an off-chance I may conquer my fear of the town on this visit, even though I have no Cadillac, because I know two chit-chat columnists, Bing Crosby's producer, three actresses, two act-

ors and one script writer. And of course, Widmark. If things get too rough I aim to buy me a sailor suit and sign on with Dick on his non-existent ship. It will at least give

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SOCIETY



Mineral Queen
Party Wednesday

"I Wonder as I Wander" was sung by Mary and Nancy Witham. The allegro from Handel's Sonata in A Major was played by Mrs. Roy Johnson, violinist, accompanied by Mrs. Fernstrom. Mrs. Johnson also played later on the program, when Mrs. Garrard, as pianist, Mrs. Fernstrom at the organ, and Mrs. Johnson, played an instrumental trio, the "Andante Religioso," by Thome.

Recessional

Following audience singing of "Hark the Herald Angels Sing," the senior choir sang "Noel Pastoral," "In David's Town," "Glory to God in the Highest," "They Sang That Night in Bethlehem," "Christ of the Snow" and "Thou Wilt Light My Candle."

At the close of the distinctive concert, the choir left through the candle-lighted aisle, singing "Angels from the Realms of Glory." The Rev. James Bell, church pastor, pronounced the benediction, which was followed by a choral response, "Silent Night," with Donna Rudness playing the bells.

Mrs. Garrard directs the senior choir and Mrs. Witham directs the youth choir.

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An on-the-job training course in farming will shortly be available for World War II veterans of Schoolcraft county, Ray Ranguette, superintendent of Cooks Consolidated schools announces.

Authorization to conduct such a course through the Cooks school was received from the U. S. Veterans' Bureau Friday, Supt. Ranguette states, but he adds that launching of the course will have to be delayed until a teacher who meets the government's qualifications is secured.

The course will be open to veterans employed as farm hands, the objective being to train these men in the best practices of farming and at the same time supplementing their pay, while they are learning so that it will be commensurate with the pay received by experienced employees.

An instructor will be hired to give theoretical instruction at the school.

stated periods at the school and practical instruction and checkups will also be made at regular periods on the farms where the students are employed.

About thirty students had enrolled in the course last August shortly after it had been applied for. It is likely that more will join after the work is started.

Supt. Ranguette had no idea when the instructor for the course would be available.

Choral Club Holds
Annual Christmas
Concert Sunday

Christmas music—carols, folk melodies and numbers from Handel's immortal Messiah—was recently and joyously presented by members of the Manistique Choral club in their annual concert, under the direction of Mrs. James Fyvie, at the high school auditorium Sunday evening.

The numbers presented were of a widely varied nature and grouped under three classifications. The first five were carols in the strict sense of the word including such numbers as the close harmonized "Gregorian melody of the 8th century," "O Come, O Come, Immanuel," the lilting and lovely "Silent Night," and the very Christmasy "Joy to the World."

The second group of songs was more in the traditional folk song class and of the sort Christians in various lands sing when they usher in the merriment and revelry that goes with the glad season. These five included the old English song "Here We Come a-Caroling," the American folk song, "I Wonder as I Wander," the ancient German melody "Lo, How a Rose is Blooming," "Carol of the Bells," a Russian folk melody that brought voices into play simulating the joyful ringing and reverberation of Christmas bells.

The third and last group of numbers was from the "Messiah" which have become traditional with local choruses. The numbers selected were "And the Glory of the Lord," "Behold the Lamb of God," "Surely He Hath Borne Our Griefs," and the "Hallelujah" chorus.

Mrs. Fyvie was presented with flowers by members of the chorus at the close of the concert.

A near capacity crowd attended the concert.

Women's Gym Class
Begins Learning
Art Of Archery

Under the direction of Helen Thorell Johnson the winter program at the Lincoln school gym got underway last Tuesday. In addition to the usual basketball, volleyball, hand ball, and indoor tennis, a class in indoor archery has been added. Mr. Osborne, city, father of Mrs. Art Thorp, has volunteered his services as instructor in this department.

Mr. Osborne rates as an expert in the field of archery. Coming here from the Menominee area, to make his home, he promptly inquired about the possibilities of developing an archery class. Upon his suggestion it was decided to initiate the class in December with the beginning of the winter program, and, if interest warrants, it can then be carried on during the summer season on an outdoor range. Several adults expressed an interest in the sport and men as well as women are invited to take advantage of Mr. Osborne's tutelage every Tuesday evening at seven p. m. at the Lincoln gym.

Bethel Installs
Staff TonightBette Ohman Will Be
Honored Queen

Miss Bette Ohman will be installed as Honored Queen of Bethel 7, Job's Daughters, at ceremonies to be held Monday evening at 8 o'clock in the Masonic hall.

The new staff: Honored Queen, Bette Ohman; Senior Princess, Pat Miller; Junior Princess, Margaret Erickson.

Guide, Beverly Louie; Marshall, Marlene Johnson; Recorder, Ruth Ann Miller; Treasurer, Arlene Green; Chaplain, Mary Ellen Sepic; Musician, Pat Hanson.

1st Messenger, Rose Marie Nieuwenkamp; 2nd Messenger, Marion Apeltgren; 3rd Messenger, Mary Ann Watson.

4th Messenger, Paula Sue Olive; 5th Messenger, Mary Lee MacKie.

Senior Custodian, Joyce Swanson; Junior custodian, Joanne Swanson.

Librarian, Elaine Ayotte; Inner Guard, Jane Anderson; Outer Guard, Janice Watson.

Following the installation there will be a program followed by serving of refreshments.

Parents and friends of the officers and members are invited.

City Basketball
League Program
Well Under Way

Tuesday evening the first games of the new basketball league got underway after a slight delay at the Old Gym. A misunderstanding in the hours of the schedule caused the delay.

In the first round play Doug Moreau's Red Devils conquered the new Inland quintet; in the second game of the evening the evening the VFW were too much for the recently organized Blaney Club squad, managed by Arky Little. Second series, Thursday night, the powerful Cooks Bombers, Gaylord Swaggart managing, measured the Paper Mill in a fast tilt, and in the second game the American Legion, with Fred Lesica at the helm, won over the National Guard.

Game time will be 7 p. m. every Tuesday and Thursday night. This week's game pit Blaney Cubs vs. Red Devils and the nightcap has Inland battling the VFW on Tuesday. Thursday night the American Legion will meet the Paper Mill and the National Guard will tangle with the Cooks Bombers. Referees will be Seb Rubick and Pete Berger.

Briefly Told

Legion Auxiliary—The American Legion Auxiliary will hold their membership pot luck dinner this evening in the Legion hall. There will be an exchange of gifts.

King's Daughters—The King's Daughters society of the Bethel Baptist church will hold their annual Christmas party on Thursday evening, December 15 at 8 in the church parlors. Hostesses will be the Riverside and down town groups. Bring gifts. Members and friends are invited.

Couples Club—The postponed meeting of the Couples Club of the Bethel Baptist church will be held December 20 in the church parlors. A planned pot luck lunch will be served. Members and friends are invited.

Ladies' Aid—The annual Christmas party of the Ladies' Aid society of the Baptist church will be held Wednesday afternoon at 2:30 in the church parlors. Mrs. William Shinar and Mrs. Louise Danielson will be hostesses. Gifts will be exchanged.

Grand Marais

St. Ann's Guild—The members of St. Ann's Guild met Tuesday evening in the Holy Rosary church hall.

Plans were made for Children's Christmas party to be held Sunday afternoon December 18 in the church hall.

Mrs. Sarah Senecal is the chairman for the party.

Personals—Mr. and Mrs. Alex Niemi Jr. and family spent the weekend in Escanaba where they visited Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Niemi, Mr. and Mrs. William Thomas and Mr. and Mrs. Francis Thomas.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Soldenski motored to Munising Friday where the doctor removed Mr. Soldenski's cast and replaced it again. However the cast can now be removed each day for a two hour period. Mr. Soldenski has been in a cast from the top of his head to his waist, for the past six weeks, following an accident in which he suffered fractured neck vertebra.

By T. V. Hamlin

Briefly Told

Confirmation Class—The junior confirmation class of the First Lutheran church will meet Tuesday afternoon at 4 o'clock at the church.

WBA—The WBA is meeting at 7:30 o'clock on Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. Chester Young, 1315 Michigan avenue. This will be the annual Christmas party.

Bible Study—A Bible study and prayer service will be held at 7:30 o'clock on Wednesday evening at the Bethel Evangelical Free church.

Obituary

FRANK LAGINA—Funeral services for Frank Lagina were held Saturday at All Saints' church, Father Matt LaViolette officiating, and burial was made in Fernwood cemetery. Music of the requiem was sung by the student choir.

The ritual of the Croatian lodge was conducted by Mirko Skradski. Pallbearers were John Zubal, John Marcella, Matt Senior, Fred Kinkella, John Barak and Andrew Valencic.

Those at the rites included many residents of Escanaba and Ensign and surrounding communities.

MRS. NICK SIGAN

Funeral services, largely attended, were conducted Friday afternoon at the First Lutheran church for Mrs. Nick Sigan, the Rev. Clifford Peterson officiating.

Music of the service was played by Mrs. Howard Sundblad, organist.

Flowers were in charge of Mrs. Robert Larson and Mrs. W. Hanson.

Serving as pallbearers were John M. Olson, B. R. Micks, Torvald Kallerson, Einar C. Olson, Norman Knutsen and Herbert VanHorn. Burial was made in the family lot in Fernwood cemetery.

Attending the rites from out of town were Mrs. Alphonse Wickman of Sanish, N. Dak., Mr. and Mrs. Jack Postuchow of Turner, Mich.; Anthony Lalaef of Deerton, Mich.; Mr. and Mrs. Fred Lalaef, Fedos Anischenko, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Johnson and Alec Lalaef, of Escanaba and a host of friends from Alger county.

Cranberry juice goes well with cider and orange juice; serve as a first course cocktail.

C-C Directors
Meet TuesdayDecorating Contest
To Be Discussed

Monthly meeting of the board of directors of the Gladstone Chamber of Commerce is scheduled for Tuesday at the city hall.

On the docket for discussion will be the Christmas home decorative contest which was suggested by local merchants at the Monday morning coffee hour and to which several merchants have contributed voluntarily for prizes.

Plans for a membership drive also are to be discussed and several committee reports received.

It was indicated that the proposal to discontinue the Western Union office here and provide service through an agency will also come up for discussion.

Nahma

Altar Society—The St. Anne's Altar Society met in the Civic Center last Tuesday evening. During the business meeting it was decided to have a pantry shower for the pastor at Christmas. All members are asked to bring their donations to the home of Mrs. E. J. Douville no later than Thursday, December 22.

A social hour of cards followed with prizes won by Mrs. Harry Smith in Bridge and Mrs. Antone Deloria in 500. Mrs. Eli Bedard served as hostess and Mrs. Leo Cousineau was named to serve in January.

Mrs. Clyde Tobin of Seney, who is a member of the society, attended the meeting.

P. T. A. Meeting—The Parent Teachers Association will meet at the school next Tuesday evening. Christmas carols will be sung by the group. Serving on the lunch committee are: chairman, Mrs. Antone Deloria, Peter Newhouse, Mrs. Donald Maynard, Mrs. Leo Cousineau and Mrs. Joe Selek.

Birth—It and Mrs. J. K. Boles of Norfolk, Va., announce the arrival of a daughter on November 18. The baby named Elizabeth Jean weighed 8 pounds, 3 ounces at birth. Mrs. Boles is the former Effie Hebert, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hebert.

City Briefs

Linda Jean, 5, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Nyberg, 807 1/2 Minneapolis, is recuperating from a tonsillectomy submitted to at St. Francis hospital Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Gnat spent the weekend visiting friends at Rhinelander.

Miss Pat Bolger has returned to Green Bay, Wis., after spending the weekend visiting at her parental home.

Mr. and Mrs. Rex Stowe spent the weekend in Sault Ste. Marie, Mich., where they attended a Church Workers Institute.

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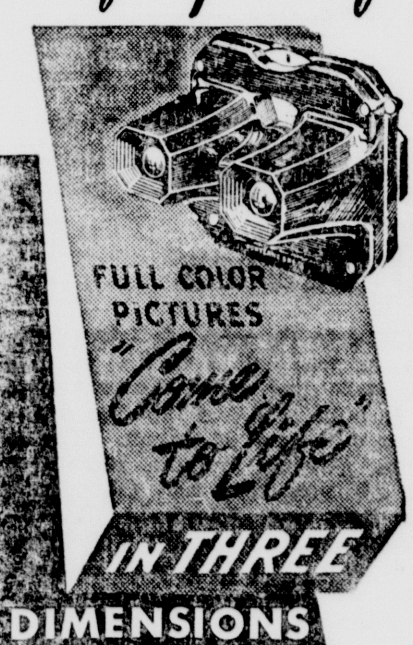
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Ice Hockey Underway! Marquette, Milwaukee Clash Here Saturday

Ice hockey will make an auspicious debut in Escanaba this season when the Marquette Sentinels, a title contender in the fast Michigan-Ontario-Wisconsin league last season, and the Milwaukee Flyers clash at the U. P. state fairgrounds indoor rink here at 8:30 next Saturday night.

Rangers Get Hot, Defeat Detroit Twice

(By The Associated Press)

Mainly because of the fancy stick work of Edgar Laprade, their hustling 30-year-old center, the New York Rangers are the hottest team in the National Hockey League at the moment.

They have won five and tied one of their last seven games, have a string of four victories in a row and have just cooled off the league-leading Detroit Red Wings, 2-1, at Madison Square Garden last night after scoring a 1-0 triumph over the defending champions Saturday.

Laprade, in his fifth season of professional play, furnished the impetus for both victories. He scored the only goal of the game Saturday and figured in both of them last night as the tight National race was drawn even closer.

In other games, the Boston Bruins shut out Toronto, 2-0, and Montreal won over the Chicago Black Hawks, 3-0. This left the two Canadian entries tied for second place with 24 points—nine behind Detroit.

The Rangers, unbeaten in six straight games on home ice, are just two points back in fourth place with 24, followed in order by Boston and Chicago, who traded cellar positions.

TONIGHT

SUNDAY'S RESULTS

New York 2 Detroit 1
Boston 2 Toronto 0
Montreal 3 Chicago 0

SATURDAY RESULTS

New York 1 Detroit 0
Montreal 1 Chicago 1 (tie)
Toronto 2 Boston 1.

	W	L	T	Pts	GF	GA
Detroit	10	7	3	25	60	60
Toronto	11	11	4	26	69	64
Montreal	10	9	6	26	60	48
New York	9	9	6	24	50	59
Boston	8	13	6	22	67	87
Chicago	8	13	6	21	72	80

Kentucky, Okla. Aggie Fives Go East This Week

New York, Dec. 12 (P)—Last season's No. 1 and 2 fives—Kentucky and Oklahoma A&M—move east this week for games against strong teams in basketball's showcase.

Kentucky, NCAA champion, meets a strong foe in St. John's at Madison Square Garden Thursday. The Wildcats already have polished off two opponents while St. John's rated among the top New York quintets, sports a 7-0 record.

Hank Iba's Aggies, like Kentucky minus four graduated regulars, bring a 4-0 record into the Garden against Long Island University Tuesday.

Both victors are favored but whether they will finish 1-2 again in the Associated Press poll is debatable.

Bradley University, Kentucky Coach Adolph Rupp's choice as the best team in the country, plays host to Nebraska, Big Seven co-titleholder, tonight. Neither has lost a game.

All-winning Holy Cross meets Dartmouth in the Boston Garden Tuesday.

Other early-week headlines find Texas Christian at Missouri, NYU against Colgate in the Garden, Texas Wesleyan at Baylor, De Paul at Indiana, Drake at Purdue, Louisville at Eastern Kentucky, Notre Dame at Wisconsin and Georgetown at Western Kentucky.

A prime game at Denver tonight pits the finalists of last March's National Intercollegiate tournament, champion Hamline and Little Rock.

Kircher's Sophomores Show Promise At MSC

East Lansing, Dec. 12 (P)—Michigan State found only a few crumbs of consolation in its third straight basketball defeat by a Western Conference team, a 73-58 beating inflicted by Indiana Saturday.

Spartan Coach Al Kircher gambled on his sophomores and lost. The newcomers, several of them playing their first college game, showed some promise for the future.

Kircher is committed to a program of building for the seasons to come when Michigan State will be a playing member of the Big Ten.

Kircher tried his injection of sophomore blood early in the first half. The experiment looked like a success as the Spartans led 37-33 at the intermission period.

Joe Graboski, 19-year-old six foot, ten inch center of the Chicago Stags, is the youngest player in the National Basketball Association.



HOOK CHECK—Doug Bentley makes a vain attempt to steal the puck from Pentti Lund of the Rangers in the third period at Madison Square Garden. The New York team edged the Chicago Black Hawks, 2-1.

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ESCANABA DAILY PRESS SPORTS "It Seems To Me"

BY JIM WARD

Cuff notes: Manistique's win over St. Joe here Saturday was a tribute to Coach Bob Hussey in his first year of coaching at 'Stique high. . . He's doing a grand job. . . Bob Carlson's one-handed shots were a constant threat, but it was his two-handed set shot outside the FT circle that set the Emeralds into a rally in the fourth quarter. . . He scored 14 points. . . Norman Jahn rang up 13 points in a bangup performance. . . The game little fellow who proved to be Manistique's sparkplug when Carlson and Gerry Popour were out on personals, however, was Jerry Anderson. . . He guided 'Stique to a welcome win.

It was a tough loss for Coach Tom St. Germain's Trojans. . . Jack Miron, six-foot four-inch center, tallied 25 points, but it wasn't enough. . . Don Paulin played one of his best games thus far. . . He contributed nine points. . . That left only nine other points among four other Trojans. . . They put up a game fight, but their passing wasn't up to par. . . Two many went astray when they suddenly found they were in for a tough ball game instead of a fairly easy win, as was indicated after Gladstone stopped 'Stique with ease, 46-27, on the latter's court the night before. . . Coach Tom said without a doubt Manistique was a different team Saturday. . . He scouted the Gladstone game.

Odds and Ends: Don Cota, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph D. Cota, South 15th street, and a former Eskymo star, is a member of the Michigan Tech varsity basketball team. . . Two other Escanabans, Gerald Gleich and Gerald Harris, both freshmen, are bidding for cage honors at M Tech. . . Green Bay lost but Jug Girard went down swinging. . . He averaged 43 yards on his punts and got one off for 74 that put the Lions in a hole and eventually led to the Packers' only TD. . . Tony Canadeo made 1040 yards this season, a five-yard average per try.

Cleveland Browns Not Happy About New Setup

Cleveland, Dec. 12 (P)—Professional football peace isn't a full-fledged fact so far as Cleveland's Browns are concerned.

Paul E. Brown, dapper and dynamic mentor of the club which yesterday won its fourth straight All-American conference title, said early today the Browns might not field a team next fall.

Discussing last week's "merger" of the 10 National League and three All-America clubs, Brown said:

"Unless we get what we need in personnel to fill our gaps, plus a place in the division with the better clubs, then we'll not be interested in the new league and we'll be out of business."

The Browns defeated San Francisco's 49ers by 21-7 yesterday to become the only pro team ever to win its league title four times in a row.

"We've earned the right to play the top clubs, the ones that will draw," Brown said. "Cleveland is entitled to see the best. Our fans want to see us against Philadelphia, Washington, Chicago Bears, New York Giants and the Detroit Lions—and that's the division we want in if the league is split up in a row."

Major Loop Baseball Can't Decide How To Break Deadlock

New York, Dec. 12 (P)—The American and National Leagues are locked in hopeless disagreement over the method of deciding the pennant winner in case of a regular season tie.

Each circuit firmly believes its own system is best unless one reverts some time during the three-day major league convention which opened today, Commissioner A. B. Chandler will find himself in the role of arbitrator.

Acting on the recommendation that both leagues adopt a uniform playoff system, the two loops agreed to disagree. The American insists that its present one-game sudden-death playoff is the more logical one. The National, in a caucus, decided to cling to its best-of-three-game system.

In the event of a deadlock, Chandler is empowered to vote in favor of either league.

Each league has had need for only one post-season playoff in its entire history.

that way."

So far, nothing is official on the members of the two divisions under the new setup. However, it is believed the Browns are grouped with the San Francisco 49ers, the Baltimore Colts, the Los Angeles Rams, the Detroit Lions, the Chicago Cardinals and the New York Bull Dogs.

Rockets Way In Front In Central Loop

Rapid River Looks
Like Repeater;
6 Tilts This Week

"Who can stop the Rapid River Rockets in the Central U. P. High School Basketball league?"

That's the current question among rival coaches of Cooks, Bark River, Rock, Trenary, Perkins, Powders-Spalding and Nahma.

For the Rockets, 1948-49 champions, are way in front with a 5-0 mark. Cooks is second at 3-1. Trenary gets a chance to upset the pacemakers on its home floor Thursday night. Five other games are on tap this week, three of them non-league affairs.

Standings:
Rapid River. 5 0 1.000
Cooks . . . 3 1 .750
Bark River . 1 1 .500
Rock . . . 1 2 .333
Trenary . . . 1 2 .333
Perkins . . . 1 2 .333
Powders . . . 1 3 .250
Nahma . . . 1 3 .250

Games This Week
Tonight—Powers at Hermansville.
Wednesday—Rock at Eben.
Thursday—Rapid River at Trenary.

Friday—Perkins at Nahma, Hermansville at Bark River, Cooks at Rock.

Saturday—Trenary at Grand Marais.

Non-league games:
Results Last Week
Rock 52, Nahma 27, Perkins 45, Powers 23, Rapid River 49, Rock 34, Rapid River 60, Bark River 31, Cooks 45, Trenary 41.

Manistique Upsets St. Joseph's, 48-43, In Overtime Tilt; Score Tied Ten Times

Manistique's Emeralds, who had dropped three successive games to Canadian Soo, American Soo and Gladstone, rose to new heights this season to defeat a favored St. Joseph's Trojan team, 48-43, in the overtime, before a packed house at Bonifas gym here Saturday night.

The game was a lulu, a crowd pleaser from start to finish—regardless of which side you were pulling for—as the lead changed hands nine times, six in the first half, at 0-0, 11-11, 13-13 in the first half, 20-20, 21-21, 25-25, 27-27 and 29-29 in the third quarter, 31-31 in the fourth quarter and 42-42 at the conclusion of the official timeout period (the end of the game).

The last time the lead changed hands was at the close of the third quarter when Gerry Popour scored a layup to put 'Stique in front 29-27. From that point on, Manistique was never headed, although they were tied three times.

Quick Blast
Early in the fourth quarter, the Emeralds made five quick points on Bob Carlson's long set shot and a field goal and free throw by Norman Jahn that seemed to throw things in their favor the rest of the way.

That gives them a five-point lead at 36-31, the widest margin of the game to that point, and the Trojans never quite recovered from that blast although they fought gamely to tie it up at 42-42 on Ronny Hirn's free throw with less than 50 seconds to go and send the game into the overtime.

It was a gallant performance on the part of both quintets—one of those games that goes down in the books as a first-rate thriller, easily one of the most exciting and certainly the closest and hardest fought game at Bonifas in many years.

Game Effort
Jahn hit a layup shortly after the start of the official timeout period to put the Emeralds in front by 41-35—the widest margin of the entire game—and it looked like curtains for the Trojans.

And just how gamely, though sometimes erratically, these Trojans fought Saturday night is testified by the fact that they came back in the official timeout period (when the new regulation regarding personal fouls favors the team in the lead) to tie the game at 42-42 and send it into overtime.

'Stique stalling tactics worked before the official timeout period as it stretched its lead from 37-35 to 41-35 by teasing the Trojans, but when the Emeralds tried it in the last three minutes, they backfired.

Don Paulin plunked in a FG and TG to make it 38-42. Jack Courneene made one of two free throws and lanky Jack Miron, individual star of the game with a high tally of 25 points, made his last field goal to close it to 41-42.

Screaches, Howls
There it stood while the crowd screeched and howled. And with less than 50 seconds to go, Jerry Anderson, who was a first-rate tactical leader for the visitors, fouled Ronny Hirn.

He stepped to the FT line with a chance to tie it up, and he came through like Frank Merriwell.

But, it was Manistique's night and despite the loss of two stars, Bob Carlson and Popour via the personal foul route in the fourth quarter, the Emeralds pulled this game out of fire.

It was Anderson who did most of the damage. He aided for his FF against Hirn by making a free throw on a double foul with Courneene after the latter had missed his effort, and after George Hough made a FT on Pete Kutches' foul, he rang up a FG. Paulin made a FT, 'Stique stalled with two minutes to go and a 46-43 lead and Jahn twisted in a clincher as the Trojans fought to get possession of the ball in the ensuing seconds.

In the preliminary, 'Stique B beat St. Joe Bees, 39-22.

ST. JOSEPH	FG	F	FT	Pct
Baker	0	1	1	2
Boddy	0	0	0	0
Paulin	3	3	2	3
Courneene	0	1	3	3
Miron	8	9	4	3
Hirn	1	2	2	2
Kutches	1	1	1	5
Totals	13	17	13	18

MANISTIQUE	FG	F	FT	Pct
Bynes	0	0	0	0
Quick	1	0	1	2
Anderson	4	2	2	4
Popour	0	0	1	2
Carlson	3	0	2	3
Jahn	5	3	1	3
Hough	0	0	1	0
Carlson	6	2	2	3
Lancour	1	0	0	2
Totals	20	8	11	24

St. Joseph 48, Manistique 43
Officials: Leo Brunelle, Norman Slough.

Junie McMahon Wins National Pin Title

Chicago, Dec. 12 (P)—James (Junie) McMahon, 37 year old Chicago bowling instructor, is 1949 National All-star individual match game bowling champion.

McMahon, a native of Passaic, N. J., won the title last night by finishing the 64-game round robin schedule with a record of 44½ victories and 19½ defeats. He collected 13,712 pins for 318.37 points under the Peterson scoring system.

His 318.37 Peterson total was a new record for the tourney. The old mark of 314.16 was set by Andy Vanipapa of Hemstead, Long Island, in 1946.

Ralph Smith of Los Angeles finished second with 307.17 points.

Packers Bow To Lions And Wind Up In League Cellar For First Time

Detroit, Dec. 12 (P)—The Detroit Lions, fourth-finners in the National Football League's Western Division, today posted two new team records along with their 21-7 win Sunday over the Green Bay Packers.

The victory, achieved by two last period touchdowns, enabled the resurgent Detroiters to finish out of the division cellar for the first time since 1945.

It also was their fourth triumph of the year, as against eight defeats, and was achieved before a

Final Standings In Pro Football

EASTERN DIVISION			
	W	L	Pct.
Philadelphia	11	9	.317
Pittsburgh	6	5	.545
N. York Giants	6	6	.500
Washington	7	7	.500
N. Y. Bulldogs	10	1	.901
WESTERN DIVISION			
	W	L	Pct.
Los Angeles	8	2	.800
Chicago Bears	9	3	.750
Chicago Cards	6	5	.545
Detroit	4	8	.333
Green Bay	2	10	.167

Basketball

U. P. HIGH SCHOOL

Manistique 48, St. Joseph's 43 (overtime)
Ishpeming 47, Calumet 41
Soo 52, Negaunee 41
Canadian Soo 40, Newberry 25
Eben 34, Negaunee 13, 33.

P. COLLEGE

St. Norbert 81, Mich. Tech. 57
NMCE 89, Suomi 47
Soo Tech 62, Detroit Tech. 58
EAST
Cornell 71 Colgate 53
Holy Cross 75 Fordham 48
Lafayette 48 Princeton 35
Niagara 55 SMU 47
Navy 70 Harvard 68
Yale 57 Penn. 51
Dartmouth 62 Amherst 46
Albion (Mich.) 69 Toronto 50
Oklahoma A-M 57 St. Joe Pa. 46
Syracuse 60 Columbia 48
CCNY 82 Kings Point 28

SOUTH
W. Mary 72 Q'ico Marines 51
Maryland 65 Washington-Lee 46
Duke 82 Virginia 61
Alabama 53 Georgia 38
Tenn. 65 Chattanooga 50
Kentucky 90 Western Ont. 18
Clemson 55 Presbyterian 53
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Texas 64 North Texas 47
Ohio State 67 Butler 65
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John Carroll 58 Hiram 46
CMCE 63 WMCE 45
Ferris 52 Alma 48
Ill. College 55 Quincy 46

Utah 63 Wyoming 55
Oregon 61 Oakland Bittners (AAU) 57
Washington 82 West. Wash. 52
Southern Calif. 74 L. A. Police 51
UCLA 55 Pepperdine 41

Twin Bill, Orchids On Thursday Night Court Fare Here

A special attraction is in store for Escanaba independent basketball fans at the junior high gym here Thursday night.

Ishpeming VFW, undefeated leaders and defending champions in the fast NWM league, will play the Escanaba Shamrocks in the feature game at 8:45, and Cleveland college will meet the Ishpeming Legion in the curtain-raiser at 7:30.

Between halves two all-star grade school teams will play, but the "piece de resistance" of the evening will be the awarding of 50 orchids flown here from Hawaii to the first 50 women at the gate. This is a page right out of Bill Veeber's book. They're gratis.

The doubleheader is a special "ladies night" performance. Proceeds will go to the Escanaba Basketball association.

SPORTS IN BRIEF

PRO FOOTBALL
Cleveland—The Cleveland Browns won their fourth straight All-America conference championship by defeating the San Francisco 49ers, 21-7. Los Angeles—The Los Angeles Rams won the western division title in the National Football League by routing the Washington Redskins, 53-27.

GOLF
Miami, Fla.—Bob Hamilton and Fred Haas, Jr., tied at the end of Miami's \$10,000 open tournament with record-shattering 164s and will meet in 18-hole playoff.

GENERAL
Melbourne—Jaroslav Drobný, self-exiled Czech tennis player, won the Victorian singles title by defeating Billy Sidwell, Australian Davis Cup player, 6-4, 6-3, 11-9.
Waco, Tex.—Ralph Wolf resigned as Baylor University athletic director, only a day after Bob Woodruff resigned as head football coach.
Chicago—James (Junie) McMahon, 37-year-old Chicago bowling instructor, won the 1949 National All-Star individual match game bowling championship.

Hamilton And Haas In Miami Playoff

Miami, Fla., Dec. 12 (P)—Bob Hamilton and Freddy Haas, Jr., meet today in an 8-hole playoff for first money in Miami's 26th annual \$10,000 open golf tournament.

Each carded five under par 65's in the final round yesterday to deadlock for a record-shattering 264.

They were 6 strokes under par for the 72 holes and slashed three strokes off the tournament record established in 1937 by Sammy Sneed and equalled by Henry Picard in 1944 and Jimmy Demaret in 1947.

If young Haas hadn't called a penalty stroke on himself during the second round—a penalty many thought unnecessary—he would have won the tournament yesterday.

On his second shot going into the ninth green, the New Orleans pro soled his club in back of the ball. He did not touch the ball with the club head, but the ball moved a fraction of an inch and he called a penalty stroke on himself.

Johnny Palmer, Badin, N. C., turned in the best round of the tournament—a sizzling 32-31—63—to pick up \$1,000 second money and a 72-hole aggregate of 266. His third place score was one stroke under the tournament record.

A newcomer to the play for pay ranks, Tommy Bolt of Houston, Tex., equalled the tournament record with 267 and picked up an \$800 check.

Ed Furgol of Royal Oak, Mich., won \$225 in prize money after finishing in a four-way tie for 13th place with a 277 score. He made a 68 in yesterday's 18 holes to add to his previous 209 total.

Cage Doubleheader At Bonifas Tonight

Coach Doris Costley's St. Joseph's girls team will play its second game of the season against Cooks at Bonifas gym tonight. It will start at 8:30 and will be preceded by the inaugural game in the Delta-Menominee Junior High School league between St. Joe and St. Ann at 7.

DARTBALL

ESCANABA WOMEN'S LEAGUE			
	W	L	Pct.
Al's	7	5	.583
Woodpeckers	7	5	.583
Ely's	6	6	.500
L & R	5	8	.383
Battling average—250 and up:			
A. Walk, Woodpeckers	35	12	.342
R. White, Al's	13	4	.307
D. Auger, Ely's	37	11	.297
E. Carlson, Ely's	33	19	.280
Ely's	44	24	.186
Woodpeckers	428	69	.181
Woodpeckers	381	57	.149
L & R	397	42	.105

Spartans Happy About 1953-54 Big 10 Slates

Chicago, Dec. 2 (P)—Michigan State College, newest member of the Big Ten, came out of the Western Conference's annual winter meeting here today with a couple of fancy football schedules for 1953 and 1954.

Those will be the Spartans' first years of conference grid competition. By that time they will be participating in all other sports.

Both years they will play six Big Ten schools, and in both seasons the Michigan-Michigan State game will take place the next-to-last weekend.

A late game with Michigan is something the Michigan State Athletic leaders have long sought. The Ann Arbor school always has insisted on keeping that encounter its grid opener.

Michigan's willingness to get

MSC into its schedule late in the season was called "a fine gesture by state grid coach Biggie Munn.

In both 1953 and 1954 the Spartans will meet Michigan, Minnesota, Purdue, Indiana and Iowa. In addition, they play Ohio State in 1953 and Wisconsin the following year. Their Big Ten debut will be a home game against Iowa Sept. 29, 1953.

However, only two conference games each season will be played at East Lansing.

Munn, admitting that "we are a little thin on our home conference schedules," said he thought MSC's football program "worked out extremely well."

"They'll be tough schedules to play," he added, "but I relish the opportunity to tackle them."

Athletic Director Ralph Young also thought Michigan State came out well.

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Records showed a 37 per cent increase in resident deer licenses as 73,974 were sold this year compared to 53,938 last year. Since many license dealers are getting their reports in early this year, the final figure is not expected to show such a marked percentage of increase.

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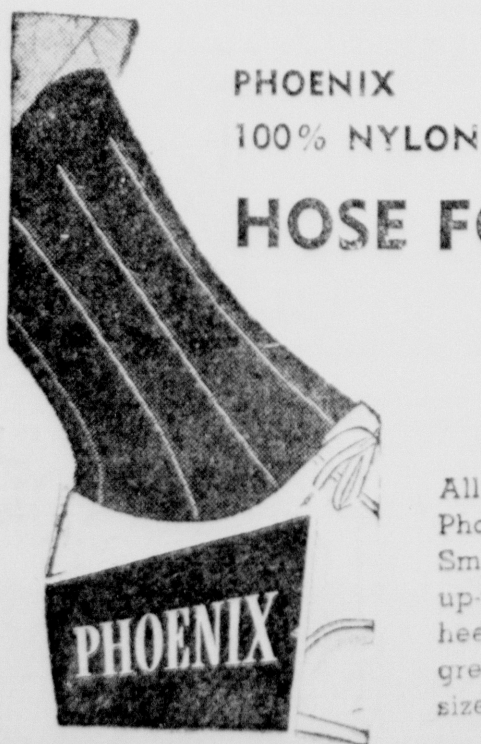
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